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## New Obstruction On Yangtze Balks Refugee Steamer

Shanghai, Dec. 21.—(Tuesday)—(AP)—Three hundred American and British women and children attempting to flee war threats in central China today were turned back by a military boom obstructing passage down the Yangtze river. The refugee-laden British Steamer Woosung was unable to pass a new obstruction at Matung, more than 100 miles up the Yangtze from Nanking, and turned back toward war-torn Hankow.

## HIGHEST HONORS WILL BE GIVEN TO LUDENDORFF

Germany's World War  
General Dies At  
Age Of 72

Munich, Germany, Dec. 20.—(P)—General Erich Ludendorff, considered the master mind of Germany's world war armies, died today at the age of 72.

He will be given a state funeral with highest military honors Wednesday in Munich's Field Marshal's Hall, a shrine of Nazi Germany. Tomorrow the body will lie in state in the flag hall of the general command of the seventh army corps.

The streets will be closed in black and silver for the funeral march from there to the field marshals' hall, where in November, 1932, Adolf Hitler, then almost unknown, and the general strode side by side in the Nazis' abortive "March on Berlin."

It was understood that Hitler and Field Marshal Werner von Blomberg, Reich war minister, would speak at the funeral.

Ludendorff died after three weeks' illness. He had been operated on for a bladder infection and apparently was recovering when the strain proved too much for his heart.

Though Ludendorff, wartime chief of staff under field Marshal Paul von Hindenburg, had declared publicly he wanted no ceremony at his burial the belief was expressed his recent reconciliation with Hitler and the Nazis after years of misunderstanding had changed his viewpoint.

Hitler sent condolences to Ludendorff's widow, Mathilde.

The general and Hitler closed their long misunderstanding and distrust at a peace talk.

## President's Mother Loses Suit in Court

White Plains, N. Y., Dec. 20.—(P)—A jury described by state Supreme Court Justice Ortner Patterson as "generous" today awarded a new Rochelle glove salesman \$21,000 in his automobile injury suit against Mrs. James Roosevelt, the president's mother, and her chauffeur.

The plaintiff, Frederick Grewen, 34, said injuries received when he was struck by Mrs. Roosevelt's car on Park avenue last April, had prevented him from selling any gloves since. The car was driven by the chauffeur, Louis Depew, and Mrs. Roosevelt was with it.

Justice Patterson denied a defense motion to set aside the award as excessive, but commented that "the jury was generous, all right."

He took under consideration a motion to set aside the verdict on the ground the plaintiff's lawyer had prejudiced the jury by emphasizing Mrs. Roosevelt's social position and intimating that the New York police had rushed to the accident to protect her interests.

## Weather

For Jacksonville and vicinity: Cloudy and snow flurries today with rising temperatures; unsettled, probably rain or snow tomorrow.

The Norbury Sanatorium, cooperative observatory for the U. S. Weather Bureau, last night gave temperatures as High 32; Low 27 and Current 30.

Illinois: Mostly cloudy, snow flurries in central and north portions, rising temperature Tuesday; Wednesday unsettled, probably some rain or snow.

Missouri: More or less cloudiness, rising temperature Tuesday; Wednesday unsettled.

Temperatures

City	7 P. M. H. L.
Boston	32 40 36
New York	36 42 34
Jacksonville	54 66 40
New Orleans	60 64 48
Chicago	19 26 25
Cincinnati	32 34 30
Detroit	20 24 23
Memphis	40 44 34
Omaha	22 26 20
Minneapolis	8 10 -2
Helena	36 38 30
San Francisco	62 62 56
Winnipeg	18 18 -18

## FOREIGN OFFICE, JAPANESE ARMY REPORTS DIFFER

Spokesman At Tokyo  
Admits Gun Attack  
On The Panay

Shanghai, Dec. 20.—(P)—The Japanese army today denied it had attacked the United States gunboat Panay, flatly contradicting official American reports Japanese troops had machine-gunned the sinking warship after it had been bombed by naval planes.

At almost the same time Major General Kumakichi Harada issued the army statement in Shanghai, a foreign office spokesman in Tokyo reversed the government's previous stand and admitted Japanese army craft on the Yangtze river had fired on the Panay.

The report of Gen. Harada, Japanese military attaché, denied virtually every statement previously made by American naval officers and British, American and Italian civilian survivors of the attack Dec. 12.

The army version not only was at variance with that of the survivors and the Tokyo foreign office but contradicted itself.

Harada was also scheduled to have reported his findings on the bombing of the British gunboat Ladybird, but after more than two hours of spirited debate with the openly skeptical correspondents at the interview, Harada postponed that statement until tomorrow.

When Harada said at the outset of his statement that he left for Nanking at 4 a. m., Dec. 13, to investigate the Panay's sinking he was reminded the Japanese army had declared it was at that time ignorant of the incident.

Quickly Harada said his remarks had been mistranslated and corrected his statement to say he had gone to investigate the bombing of the Ladybird.

His explanation of why the Panay sinking was not reported for more than a week by Japanese troops who he admitted had learned the ship was American was that communication was difficult.

Three of the surviving newspaper correspondents aboard the Times of London, Weldon James of the United Press, and Luigi Barzini, an Italian, were present at the interview with Harada.

His statement was at such variance with the previously reported facts that one correspondent asked whether the Japanese and the survivors were discussing the same incident.

## Barbara Field Is Wed to Anthony A. Bliss, New Yorker

Young Heiress, Daughter of  
Marshall Field, 3d, Has  
Fashionable Ceremony

New York, Dec. 20.—(P)—Barbara Field, one of the country's wealthiest young heiresses, was married today to Anthony A. Bliss, a member of an influential New York family.

The ceremony uniting the daughter of Marshall Field, 3d—descendant of Chicago's great merchant prince and chief beneficiary of his will—to the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius N. Bliss, was Gotham's most fashionable wedding of the winter.

Nine bridesmaids and eleven ushers were in the bridal party at the church of the Heavenly Rest. The bride, who wore a simple white satin gown and a veil of heirloom lace, was given in marriage by her father.

One of her four children, she will inherit a large share in the first Marshall Field's fortune, one of the largest in the nation.

The fortune will be in trust until 1943, when Barbara's father reaches the age of 50, and assumes its control.

Barbara's mother, the first wife of Marshall Field, 3d, is now Mrs. Diego Suarez.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Henry Darlington, rector of the church.

The bridegroom's grandfather, the late Cornelius N. Bliss, was secretary of the interior in President McKinley's cabinet. His father is a financier and philanthropist.

As a wedding gift the bride's father gave the couple a house on Long Island.

Mrs. Alvin Gregory of Winchester was a Monday shopper here.

## Seven Children Of Santa Claus Want Their Share, Too; Mr. Fisher Puzzled

New York, Dec. 20.—(P)—Santa Claus, who has handled the problems of boys and girls for years without a complaint, was stumped tonight by his own seven children.

They saw him in a department store, and they couldn't understand why they shouldn't get everything in the place for Christmas.

"If you can give that stuff to other kids," they asked, "what's the matter with us?"

It was a tough blow to Santa, who has always prided himself on having all the answers.

Santa himself (his name is Harry Fisher and his home is the east side except when he pinch-hits for Santa Claus-in-chief at Christmas time) was far too wise to let his children

know the nature of his job. But he couldn't stop the neighbors, and one of them talked.

Being very wise themselves, the children didn't let their father in on their secret until after several weeks of being very sweet to him. Then they popped the question:

"Papa, now that you're Santa Claus, how about it?"

"I hate to disappoint those kids," he told his employer, Charles Hamid, the Santa Claus expert. "But I'll have to spend all my salary on Christmas presents if they're to get everything they think they're entitled to."

And down the east side seven children were waiting for a showdown on whether this Santa Claus business is real.

## HULL REFUSES EVACUATION OF WAR TERRITORY

American Ships And  
Citizens Can Stay  
For Time Being

Washington, Dec. 20.—(P)—The United States government reaffirmed today a policy of maintaining protection for Americans in the Sino-Japanese war zone.

Answering a letter from Senator Smathers (D-N. J.), who favored the withdrawal of Americans ships and citizens from the danger zone, Secretary of State Hull said the present "does not seem an opportune moment."

The secretary asserted that the government long had expected to withdraw American ships and citizens from the far east, but only "when their appropriate function is no longer called for."

"In a situation such as now prevails," he wrote Senator Smathers, "many of our nationals cannot suddenly disavow, or cut themselves off from the past, nor can the American government suddenly disavow its obligations and responsibilities."

A new demand for withdrawal of American ships and troops came from Representative Cannon (D-Wis.) in a radio address tonight.

He charged that the American gunboat was not carrying refugees at the time it was sunk by Japanese airplanes, but was "protecting the property of the Standard Oil Company and conveying their oil boats through the line of fire."

## Dearborn is Upheld In Ford Controversy

Detroit, Dec. 20.—(P)—The city of Dearborn was upheld today by Federal Judge Edward J. Moineau in its controversy with the United Automobile Workers of America over distribution of literature at the gates of the Rouge plant of the Ford Motor Co.

In upholding the legality of a traffic ordinance which makes the area adjacent to the Ford plant a prohibited zone for hawkers, vendors and distributors, the court held that regardless of whom it affected it was the right and the duty of Dearborn police to enforce any law or ordinance deemed necessary for the protection of lives and property.

Judge Moineau declared that the right of free press had not been denied.

James E. Greene, Dearborn corporation counsel, indicated after the verdict that cases would not be pressed against 244 union men arrested for violation of the traffic ordinance on two attempts by the U. A. W. A. to distribute literature outside the plant.

## INSULL DENIES ILLNESS IN CABLE FROM PARIS

Chicago, Dec. 20.—(P)—Samuel Insull cabled a denial of reports that he was ill from Paris today.

The Chicago office of his son, Samuel Insull, Jr., made public this message: "Absurd. Could not be in better health."

The former utility magnate and his wife planned to celebrate Christmas in Paris and then travel to Rome.

Henry Roegge and W. R. Steinberg of Mercedese were Monday visitors here.

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## NAVY YEARBOOK DISCLOSES RACE AMONG NATIONS

Great Britain Will  
Build New Ships;  
Others Follow

London, Dec. 20.—(P)—Great Britain today was reported building or planning 10 new battleships to increase her number of capital ships to 25 in a new world race for naval supremacy.

The 1937 edition of Jane's fighting ships, the authoritative British yearbook on the world's navies, disclosed the race for sea power was limited only by the supply of men and materials.

Jane's disclosed Britain has 12 battleships and three battle cruisers in service, five battleships building and "rumor has it five more battleships will be provided for in the 1938 and 1939 estimates."

The first two of the five battleships now being built—the King George V and the Prince of Wales—were laid down Jan. 1, 1937. Of a revolutionary design, the 35,000-ton, \$40,000,000 battleships were the first to be built by Britain since 1925.

In addition to the five 35,000-ton warships, Jane's said, the British program for 1937—"the most important undertaken since the war ended"—included two aircraft carriers, seven cruisers, 16 destroyers, six submarines and many other craft.

The race between Russia and Japan for submarine supremacy, the heavy German naval building program and the reported authorization of four new Japanese battleships were outstanding developments listed by the publication.

Jane's cited the big warship building activities of the United States, Great Britain, France, Italy, Russia, Japan and Germany as a reaffirmation of the supremacy of the capital ship over submarines and aircraft.

"Mistake Slaying"  
By Rockford Police  
Being Investigated

Waylaid Salesman, Bound  
and Gagged, Mistaken for  
Bandit in Dimlit Hall

Rockford, Ill., Dec. 20.—(P)—The tragic slaying of Benjamin Mullen, glove salesman who was shot by a policeman after robbers had left him manacled, gagged and helpless, prompted a swift investigation today.

Two officers, J. C. Lapinski and Roy Sowi, temporarily suspended following the shooting, were reinstated after State's Attorney Paul E. Nash and Sheriff Paul F. Johnson announced they felt "the shooting was justifiable."

The patrolmen, answering a robbery call, saw Mullen on the third floor of an office building. Lapinski ordered him to "stick up your hands."

But the salesman, held against a stair post by a pair of old hand cuffs and his mouth taped shut, was unable to comply or to apprise the policemen of his predicament.

Lapinski, who was trailed up the steps by Sowi, said he believed Mullen was a bandit and fired. The bullet struck Mullen in the neck. He died in a hospital.

Police Chief August Bargen opined Lapinski was justified in firing because Mullen, crouched in the dim hallway, could easily be mistaken for a gunman.

The chief said the robbery report came from Mrs. Pearl Williams, secretary to Dr. M. S. Blum, after the dentist informed her a man was moaning on the floor above his office.

Investigators theorized Mullen was waylaid en route to Dr. Blum's office.

Mullen was employed as a salesman for the Jullid Aderer Co., a Chicago dental supply house. Dr. Blum told officials Mullen usually carried about \$3,000 worth of gold.

Bargen said Lapinski was "greatly broken up" over the tragedy.

An inquest was scheduled for one o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

## Emory S. Land May Get Kennedy's Post

Washington, Dec. 20.—(P)—Insiders expressed belief tonight that Rear Admiral Emory S. Land, retired chief of the navy's bureau of construction and repair, might succeed Joseph P. Kennedy as chairman of the maritime commission.

Kennedy is expected soon to be appointed ambassador to Great Britain, succeeding the late Robert W. Bingham.

Land, who is 58, has been a member of the maritime commission since April 16. He has served several times as acting chairman and otherwise worked closely with Kennedy in planning the rehabilitation of the merchant marine.

A veteran of 39 years service in the navy, Land retired on his own application last April 1 at the end of a four-year assignment as construction chief.

## Senate Discusses Bi-Partisan Plan, Waiting For Bill

Washington, Dec. 20.—(AP)—The "address to the American people," drafted last week by a bi-partisan group of senators, received the acclaim of a half dozen members on the senate floor today.

While the senate killed time waiting for its banking committee to complete action on the administration housing bill, Senator Burke (D-Neb.) injected the subject into debate. He was questioned immediately as to the author or authors of the document, which urged through tax revision and other policies to hasten business recovery.

Senator Bailey (D-NC), among others, promptly claimed authorship and proceeded to read the statement. He added an argument that, unless prosperity were restored, the demand for a "collectivist" system would become overwhelming.

In general, it was a speech-making day at the capitol. Neither branch of Congress had any specific business before it, so a dozen or more members seized the opportunity to deliver addresses long clamoring for utterance.

Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich) urged adoption of his child labor amendment to the federal constitution. His proposal is a modification of the amendment long pending before the States. Vandenberg said it eliminated objectionable features of the latter.

Senator Truman (D-Mo) made a speech on railroad financing, and Senator Connally (D-Tex) talked of the Sino-Japanese hostilities.

Over Connally's objections, Senator Barkley of Kentucky, the Democratic leader, arranged to postpone debate on the anti-lynching bill until the regular session beginning in January.

Connally, an inveterate foe of that measure, protested that Barkley had not consulted him before reaching his decision.

Then, in no time at all, the bi-partisan statement on recovery policies came up. The question as to its authorship developed.

From Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich) came a statement that he was "extremely happy to acknowledge" that he had a part in writing the document.

From Senator Austin (R-Vt) an assertion that he "took part to a certain degree."

For Bailey's statement that he had been an author of the "address" and had circulated it among his colleagues.

And from Senators Burke and Cope-land (D-NY) statements that they were heartily in favor of the principles enunciated in the document.

The "address," which received publicity last week before its sponsors had obtained as large a number of adherents as they desired, called for an end to coercion by both employers and labor in industrial disputes, an approach to a balanced budget, and the encouragement of private enterprise and investment in private enterprise.

"I have never seen a time in my life when I would not have subscribed to this paper," Bailey said.

He went on to say that the country was in a depression and that it was vital that it be ended quickly.

If unemployment increases and farm prices go down, he said, "you will create an atmosphere in the world which will demand collectivism."

If, he added, "we do not get through this depression," the impetus "toward collectivism will be irresistible and overwhelming."

## Frank B. Kellogg Is Fighting Pneumonia

St. Paul, Dec. 20.—(P)—Frank B. Kellogg, former secretary of state and co-author of the Kellogg-Briand peace pact, today was said by his physician to have rallied from an attack of pneumonia with which he was critically ill over the week-end.

The statesman, who will be 81 years old Wednesday was stricken with cerebral thrombosis early last month, after several months of failing health. Pneumonia developed Saturday, and for a time Dr. J. A. Lepak, his physician, held virtually no hope for his recovery.

Late today, however, his physician said Kellogg was "remarkably improved," and that he foresaw "no serious danger for two or three days. Dr. Lepak said the patient's temperature was returning to normal, that spread of congestion had been arrested, and the heart action was improved.

## CHICAGO PASSES NEW TAXICAB ORDINANCE

Chicago, Dec. 20.—(P)—A new taxicab ordinance, increasing fares five cents, was approved by the city council's transportation committee today.

It provided an advance in the initial charge "flag pull" tariff from 15 to 20 cents, and stipulated 1,000 cabs should be removed from service by March 1, leaving 2,918 in operation. A drivers representative said average wages would be boosted about \$4 a week.

E. L. Taylor, Edgar Smith and James Smithers of Winchester were local visitors Monday.

## GREAT BRITAIN APPOINTS NEW CHINESE ENVOY

Sir Archibald Kerr  
Named Ambassador  
In Sudden Move

London, Dec. 20.—(P)—Great Britain emphasized her grave view of the far eastern crisis tonight by naming a new ambassador to China to replace Sir Hugh Montgomery Knatchbull-Hugessen, who was wounded last August when Japanese planes machine-gunned his automobile.

The foreign office announced Sir Archibald Kerr, veteran diplomat who has been ambassador to Baghdad since 1935, would take over the China post "as soon as possible."

The announcement said that "recent events in the far east" made it essential Britain should be represented in China "by a diplomat of ambassadorial rank and that arrangements to such an end should be made with the least possible delay."

The sudden decision—considered by political circles to reflect the serious view the government took of an increasingly grave situation—came as the cabinet was reported considering sending six capital warships to reinforce its China fleet on advice from naval authorities.

Informed quarters said admiralty experts had told the cabinet six major warships—battleships or battle cruisers—were necessary for adequate protection of British interests in the Chinese-Japanese war.

## "Bandit" Pair Held For Murder, Holdup

Las Cruces, N. M., Dec. 20.—(P)—No longer the swaggering self-imagined prototypes of western "bad men," Harry Dwyer, 27, and Henry Lorenz, 22, were bound over without bail today for trial in district court on charges of murder and train robbery.

Sober-faced, they heard witnesses at a preliminary hearing describe their Thanksgiving day attempt to stage a holdup of the "Apache" Southern Pacific flier.

The murder count was entered for the shooting of W. L. Smith, a railroad employee. Both charges carry the death penalty.

Dwyer and Lorenz readily admitted boarding the train at El Paso, Tex., with the intention of robbing passengers. Neither, however, would admit shooting Smith.

## BRAZIL STATES TO STOP FOREIGN DEBT PAYMENT

Rio de Janeiro, Dec. 20.—(P)—A finance ministry spokesman said today Brazil was planning to use funds ordinarily applied to foreign debts for a large scale domestic industrial program.

He said representatives of 14 Brazilian states would meet here soon to complete the plans. The state debts total about \$385,000,000.

Of Brazil's total foreign debt, which includes federal and municipal obligations as well as state debts, about \$470,000,000 is owed United States investors.

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## The Social Register

The good, substantial families of Jacksonville and other Illinois towns don't worry much about whether they are listed in a "Who's Who," or a social register. They like to command the respect of their neighbors and fellow-townsmen. Aside from that, the average family has no loftier ambitions.

But the families in towns such as we live in are considerably different than some of the families of New York, whose members clamor for social prestige—who are not content until their names are included on all the select lists. It is people of this sort who keep the New York Social Register and similar publications in business.

The New York Social Register was founded in 1887 by Louis Keller. Now managed by his nephew, Charles K. Beckman, it publishes for 10 cities besides New York. It is published by a private corporation which is reported to earn \$50,000 a year, the copies selling for \$7 each.

What may lift one name from the Register's pages may not affect another. For example, Hope Williams, a New York socialite, was dropped from the Social Register because she went on the stage. All actresses and actors are not disqualified, however.

Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh's name was added to the New York Register only after his marriage to the prominent Anne Morrow. But Polly Lauder's marriage to Gene Tunney, the retired pugilist, disqualified her as a socialite. Disproven marriages are usually listed once, according to Register custom, and then dropped.

Ellen Mackay was dropped from the Register when she married Irving Berlin, the song writer. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence H. Mackay are registries, though Mrs. Mackay is the former Anna Case, opera singer. Mr. Mackay, Mrs. Berlin's father, disapproved of her marriage.

Although the name of Roger Wolfe Kahn, son of Otto H. Kahn, didn't lose its place in the Register when he led an orchestra, it was dropped when he married Hannah Williams, musical star, who is at present the wife of Jack Dempsey.

That in and out of the Social Register mean little to the rank and file of the people, because the average man or woman is never listed.

## Tightens Loose False Teeth Amazingly!

COULD BE A TADPOLE, FISH, and NOT a snake, powder. It holds loose sets in from 10 to 20 times longer than any powder. Get far less new sets, making you to get ANYTHING. See ANYTHING, no matter how badly you feel or how miserably sticky powder has ruined you. Neither the most violent sneeze or laugh nor the fiercest wind can loosen your set. The finest fruit or vegetable food cannot get under it. SUXION does NOT leave a swollen, gooey mass as powder does. It is the BEST REAL BOND to come to loose plate dentures in 30 years. It does everything you would expect a PERFECT PLATE ADHESIVE to do. When FALSE TEETH LOOSE, SUXION USE SUXION. LONG'S PHARMACY, 15 East Side Square.

## FOR HER--

Watches  
Diamonds  
Bracelets  
Locket and Crosses  
Novelty Jewelry  
Toilet Cases, Etc.

## FOR HIM--

Rings  
Tie Sets  
Full Dress Sets  
Chairs and Knives  
Watches  
Bill Folds  
Toilet Cases

Remember! No Gifts More Cherished Than JEWELRY

SCHRAM and BUHRMAN

How the names are chosen has always been pretty much of a mystery. Why some are retained and others are eliminated also is veiled in secrecy.

## A Chicago Experiment

The City of Chicago is preparing to fight fires with some new equipment—loud speakers and amplifying systems. The city council has just appropriated a substantial sum for that purpose. The money will be spent for amplifying systems to be installed on searchlight trucks of the fire department. Amplifying systems have been put to use in almost every other situation, from commercial advertising to ballyhoo for politics. Here is a new field in which they may prove effective.

The purpose of having a sound truck at a fire is to aid the fire department officials to direct the work of their men in a more effective way. To carry the orders of the chief to his squads by word of mouth as at present often meets insuperable obstacles or delays. The loud speaker will give the chief the means of ordering his men to shift their apparatus or concentrate their attack at a given point where they may win or lose their battle.

The crowds which always gather at the scene of a blaze may also be protected by loud speakers from danger of falling walls or other hazards. The plan seems to have many practical points, which Chicago as a leader in the field will put to test.

## Seven Roads to Safety

At its recent annual congress, the National Safety Council reaffirmed its declaration of war on accidents and asked for:

More and better uniform traffic laws, especially in the matters of standard signs and signals and drivers' licensing requirements.

Stricter, fairer and more intelligent enforcement.

Efficient safety organizations in every state, county and community.

More and better traffic engineering, resulting in safer highways.

Periodic inspection of all motor vehicles by properly equipped stations operated or closely supervised by state or city.

Intelligent safety instruction in all schools.

More research into the physical causes and preventative of accidents.

There is no royal road to safety, but neither is there any mystery about it. Good drivers, operating good cars, under proper regulations, on well designed highways, aren't likely to cause death, injury or property damage.

The reckless, incompetent or drunk motorist, the mechanically defective automobile, the highway which is structurally years behind the times—these are the triumvirate that are collectively responsible for the annual traffic massacre of 30,000 persons in this country.

## A New Kind of Calendar

So many new forms of taxation and dates for their payment have come into existence in the last few years, that the Illinois Chamber of Commerce has thought it desirable to issue a printed calendar of tax payment times, for use and convenience of business men and others.

This new kind of calendar shows that six important tax paying "deadlines" fall in January, four in February, five in March, seven in April, two in May, four in June, six in July, three in August, three in September, four in October, two in November and five in December.

Some of the taxes, for instance the Illinois state occupational tax, are payable every month of the year. Others are due quarterly, and some twice a year or annually.

These tax paying dates include the federal and state taxes only. If there are certain other local taxes payable on varying dates, the taxpayer is supposed to look out for himself, with no printed calendar to guide him.

The new C. of C. calendar not only comes in handy, but it impresses in a most effective way the number and frequency of taxes in this modern business age.

## WORTHWHILE CLUB HAS CHRISTMAS MEETING

Members of the Worthwhile Club and their families were delightfully entertained at a seven o'clock dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Moody Thursday evening. The house and table decorations were in keeping with the holiday season. The domestic committees which prepared and served the supper were Mrs. Russell McGee, Mrs. Orris Lindsay, Mrs. Elmer Moody and Mrs. John Hunter. The entertainment was planned by Mrs. Earl Cox and Mrs. Homer Ferreira, which featured a Treasurer Hunt with Christmas gifts as the hidden treasure, and the singing of Christmas carols.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Long and daughters. The next regular meeting will be with Mrs. Stanford Strickler Jan. 14.

Patronize Your Local Merchants.

## Elias Howard, Civil War Veteran, Dies At Residence Here

Member of Mounted Infantry of Tennessee Succumbs Sunday Night

Elias Howard, 93, one of the few surviving veterans of the Civil War, died at his home here, 932 Mathers street, at 11:50 p. m. Sunday after an illness of a week.

Mr. Howard served in the Civil War with Company K, Fourth Regiment, Tennessee Mounted Infantry Volunteers.

He was born in Cookeville, Tenn., June 3, 1844. After being mustered out of the army, he went to Monticello, Kentucky, where he was married to Miss Josephine Meek. They came to Illinois where they have lived for many years.

Mr. Howard is survived by his wife and the following children: J. P. Howard, of Centralia, Ill.; Charles W. Howard, of Table Grove, Mrs. Ervin Hull, Miss Ann Howard, Mrs. Glen Sox, and Cyrus B. Adams, all of this city, and Mrs. Earl Adamson, of Pocatello, Idaho.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2:30 at the Williamson Funeral home in charge of Rev. W. J. Boston. Burial will be in the East Jacksonville cemetery.

## Y.M.C.A. PROGRAM OUTLINED IN CITY

Because of school vacation which begins Wednesday evening, only a few of the ten Gray-Y clubs of the Grade School-Y.M.C.A. program will meet this week. Some of these clubs had special programs during the past week while others will have such meetings on Monday and Tuesday evenings, at the close of school.

Last week the boys of the Franklin Gray-Y delivered to the fire station a great quantity of toys which they had secured from their schoolmates and friends. These toys are being "retouched" by the men of the fire department and will be given to other children for Christmas.

At Jefferson school the Girls' Gray-Y is to entertain the members of the Boys' Gray-Y in a joint meeting Tuesday afternoon.

Tuesday evening a joint meeting of the Hi-Y club and the Tri-Y is to be held in the high school cafeteria. Dinner is to be served at 5:30 with a special program following. There will be no meeting of the Hi-Y on the regular meeting night this week, nor during the following vacation week.

At the meeting last Thursday reports were made of the recent State Older Boys' Conference held at Elgin and attended by four local boys and Mr. Hermann. Boys making the reports were Everett Summers, Bill Hermann, Otto Splith and Paul Findley.

State's Attorney Oscar Zachary was also a guest speaker at the meeting, telling of the functions of his office and relating interesting incidents and experiences.

The regular meeting of the Y.M.C.A. Torch club of Junior high school boys will be held Monday afternoon in the science room of the David Prince school. A moving picture of "Frozen Niagara Falls" is to be a part of the program. Plans are to be made at this meeting for one of the club's out-of-town trips to be taken during the Christmas holidays. Membership in the club is open to any boys of the Junior High school.

Last Monday the club visited the Elliott State Bank where they were shown the great vault with its massive doors and had explained to them the ways in which the bank operates and how the depositors' money is safeguarded.

## VISITOR FROM WEST

Mrs. Arthur Ludwig of Los Angeles, Cal., spent several days the past week visiting her niece, Mrs. Poy E. Gilbert, in this city.

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## DILLON FUNERAL SERVICE HELD MONDAY MORNING

Funeral services for Miss Clementine Dillon, who died here Saturday, were held Monday morning in the Catholic church at Pittsfield, in charge of the Rev. Fr. Scanlon. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery near Pittsfield.

Barney Kientzle, Theodore McCaughy, Charles McCaughy, Joe Locker, T. L. McDonnell, and John Plummer were the casket bearers. The Carroll funeral service was in charge of the arrangements.

## Mrs. Rachel Ross Is Virginia Hostess

Household Science Club Meets; Other News Notes of Interest

Virginia—The Virginia Household Science club met at the home of Mrs. Rachel Ross on Thursday afternoon. The program consisted of reminiscences of Christmas fifty years ago by Mrs. Louisa Montgomery, and a paper on the present day Christmas by Miss Olive Fielder. Mrs. Montgomery sang "Long, Long Ago."

The Capsule Sisters of the Christian church held the annual Christmas party Thursday evening at the home of Miss Lena Cline. Mrs. Carl McDonald was the assistant hostess. Rook furnished the entertainment of the evening, and awards were won by Mrs. Charles Davis and Mrs. John Trenter. Each member present received a gift from her Capsule Sister, whose identity was revealed at the meeting.

Miss Kathryn Irvine entertained the members of the H. B. Bridge club at her home Friday evening. The usual three tables were at play, and some prizes were won by Mrs. Eva Brannan and Mrs. Florence Graves, and the traveling prize by Mrs. W. B. Finn. The Irvine home was decorated appropriately for the Christmas season, and the hostess served delicious refreshments following the games.

Mrs. W. W. Waggoner and daughters, Miss Betty and Mrs. Gerald Darland, left Saturday for a few days visit with Judge and Mrs. Robert E. Reynolds at Kansas City. Miss Virginia Waggoner, who has been a guest at the Reynolds home, will accompany them on the return trip.

Mrs. Leon Landis and daughter, Geraldine Jo, 17, and her home from the Schmitt Memorial hospital in Beardstown Friday evening, making the trip in the Purnell ambulance.

Children of the primary school will be guests of the local Kiwanis club at the regular meeting Monday evening, who are planning a Christmas party for the children. The club will have the usual dinner but will join the children in sandwiches and dessert.

The club will also sponsor a Christmas treat for Virginia children on Christmas morning, but business firms and individuals will be asked to contribute for the "Goodfellow" treat.

## MACMURRAY FACULTY LEAVES FOR HOLIDAYS

Many faculty members at MacMurray College will spend the holiday vacation in other states; Dean Mary E. Baird will visit at her home in Des Moines, Ia.; Miss Elizabeth Crigler, professor of chemistry, will spend the holidays in Charlotte, N. C.; Miss Ellen Creek, librarian, has gone to her home in Liberty, Ind., for the vacation; Miss Lucille Crawford, assistant librarian, will visit in Chicago; Miss Emma Henry of the home economics department will spend the vacation in Sulphur, Okla., and Miss Lula Hay, Conservatory of Music, expects to spend the holidays in Chicago visiting relatives.

Miss Grace Knapp, instructor in Spanish, will be in New York City during the vacation; Professor Beverly McAnear, history department, will be in Philadelphia for the holidays; Miss Helen Mahany will visit at her home in Janesville, Wis.; Miss Alida Alexander, professor of biology, will spend the vacation in Adrian, Mich.; Miss Hazel Olson of the biology department will visit in Osage, Ia.; Miss Dorothy Remley, professor in the speech department has gone to her home in Wayne, Ind., and Miss Grace Tickle will visit at her home in Birmingham, Ala.

## Bluffs Groups Meet For Bridge Parties

Evans and Thorne Homes Are Hosts to Parties; Bluffs News

Bluffs—Mr. and Mrs. Ray Evans entertained a number of friends at a Christmas buncos party at their home Friday night. Miss Mary McDorman won high score for ladies. Mrs. Wayne Rich won low, and Alfred Beely won high score for men. Following the buncos game, delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Evans.

Those on the guest list were: Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rich, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Albers, Miss Emma Ruth Hodgson, Alfred Beely, Henry Warren Oakes, Vincent Castle, John Schmidt, Alfred Hodgson, Russell Smith, Glen Brookhouse, Mrs. Etta Brookhouse, Mrs. Effie Bradley and daughter, Virginia; Miss Doris Brookhouse, Gilbert Steinberg, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lind, Miss Mary McDorman, Miss Avis McCutchin, Miss Margaret Robinson, Wm. Bishop and Leroy Goodlin.

Dr. and Mrs. E. O. Thorne entertained a potluck bridge party at their home Thursday night. Mrs. Ben Placke won high score for ladies and Raymond Robinson won second. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Placke, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Muntman, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Nortrup, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hierman, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Burrus, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Robinson, Mrs. Elizabeth Six and Gus Albers.

Mrs. Effie Bradley and daughter, Virginia; Miss Avis McCutchin and Miss Mary McDorman were shoppers in Jacksonville Saturday afternoon.

Robert Albers and Norris Six attended the basketball game between Mt. Sterling and Perry at Mt. Sterling Friday evening.

Henry Warren Oakes, student at Parks Air school in East St. Louis, arrived Thursday to spend the Christmas holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Royal Oakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bates and daughter, Betty Ann, were shoppers in Jacksonville Saturday.

Don Smith, Harry Collins, Louis Nortrup and Donald Moore who have been working with the Grant Contracting company in Kentucky, finished their work there and returned home Saturday.

Miss Maxine Mills, student at Carthage college, is spending the Christmas holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Mills.

## Tryouts Held for Operetta at J.H.S.

'Count and Coed' to Be Given Feb. 3-4; Judges Select Students for Parts

Tryouts were held the past week for parts in the operetta to be presented by the choral organizations of the high school Feb. 3 and 4, 1938. Miss Lena Mae Hopper and William Vickery served as judges and selected the students for their respective parts.

The title of the operetta is "The Count and the Coed". It is a story of college life, with a large assortment of musical numbers. The cast will be announced at an early date.

## LOCAL AUTO DEALER WINS SILVER TROPHY

J. M. Pine was recently awarded a trophy won in a contest in the sale of used cars in the St. Louis zone. The award was made during the past week at a banquet of Ford dealers held in St. Louis. The contest took place last June and July.

The trophy is a silver world globe mounted on a pedestal. Around the globe is a silver track on which several tiny cars are mounted for a spin around the earth.

## Teachers' Division Will Hold Meeting

Local Members Expect to Attend Sessions in Springfield

The South Central Division of the Illinois Education Association will be represented at the conference of the state association to be held in Springfield, December 27-29, by a large number of delegates and officers, including many from Jacksonville.

Following are the officers and members of the executive committee of the South Central Division of the Illinois Education Association: R. O. Stoops, Jacksonville; William A. Miller, Springfield; Hester C. Burbridge, Jacksonville; Bruce E. Wheeler, Springfield; Mary Margaret Roach, Decatur; John O. Burch, Springfield; Elmer C. Coatsney, Assumption; J. A. Lettze, Jacksonville.

Delegates—R. T. Crane, Mt. Sterling; C. R. McDonald, Virginia; George Wilcockson, Taylorville; C. W. McDermitt, Rosamond; V. D. Amacher, Argenta; Paul Ross, Macomb; C. A. Michelman, Mt. Zion; Robert E. Ernest, Decatur; Charlotte Meyer, Decatur; Florence Foster, Decatur; Gilbert Redfern, Scottville; J. W. White, Gillespie; Elizabeth Frew, Mt. Olive; J. E. Cole, Atwater; R. E. Stevenson, Palmyra (alternate); Georgia Waldron, Petersburg; J. C. Mutch, Jacksonville; Edwin Lashme, Chapin.

S. B. Atkinson, Woodson (alternate); Grace E. Jennings, Murrayville; R. L. Simpson, Pawnee; Lloyd Roth, Athens; Frank Sabine, Chatham; Margaret Gallagher, Springfield; G. P. Chapman, Virden; Lee Goby, Springfield; Ray Sudeland, Riverton; Benjamin Groe, Bluffs; W. F. Grotts, Hillsboro; E. E. Rademacher, Nokomis; Virginia Harrington, Litchfield.

## Dairy Farmers of County Will Meet

University Man to Discuss Feeding and Breeding at Gathering Wednesday

All dairymen and farmers in Morgan county who milk two or more cows are being invited to a dairy meeting to be held Wednesday at the Farm Bureau. Morning and afternoon sessions will be held. C. S. Rhode, from the dairy faculty of the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois, will be the speaker.

Breeding of dairy cattle will be the topic for discussion at the morning meeting. The afternoon session will be devoted to a discussion of the feeding of dairy cows so as to get the most milk of the best quality at all seasons of the year.

## Messiah Presented Before Large Crowd At Church Sunday

Christmas Season Oratorio Well Received; Pontius Tells of Story

The "Messiah" Handel's most successful and best known oratorio was presented Sunday evening at the Central Christian church by the Jacksonville Choir, composed of thirty trained voices and talented soloists, with Mrs. Helen Brown Read, director, Miss Alice Mathis, organist.

Mrs. Read as director again set a high standard in bringing out the beauty and the surpassing power of the production. The chorus numbers throughout were characterized by excellent ensemble, clearness and brilliancy. The spiritual beauty was revealed with splendid interpretation in the chorus numbers, beginning with "And the Glory of the Lord," through "For unto Us a Child is Born," Behold The Lamb of God," "Worthy is The Lamb," telling the majesty of the Christmas story, reaching the climax of the oratorio in the exultant Hallelujah chorus.

The solo voices lent inspiration and form to the program and were given with excellent rendition by Miss Doris Robinson, soprano; Mrs. A. R. Gregory, alto; Howard Potter, tenor; Donald Litter, tenor. Miss Rhoda Olds, alto-soloist was prevented from taking her usual numbers by an attack of laryngitis.

The power and beauty of the program was enhanced by the organ prelude and support during the oratorio given by Miss Alice Mathis. The entire service was marked by dignity and a deeply religious atmosphere which was preceded by the invocation by Dr. Myron L. Pontius and a cornet solo, "Holy Night" by Albert McCarty.

Dr. Pontius spoke of the inspiration of the great oratorio, which tells of the Nativity, through the manhood of Christ, to the Hallelujah chorus, and brings the true spirit of Christmas to all.

Personnel of Choir: Sopranos—Armeda Woods, Doris Robinson, Mrs. Lucille Lettze, Lucille Bunch, Mrs. Margery Drennan, Laura Fernandes, Mrs. Gary Hudson, Mrs. Dorothy Alderson, Mrs. Edward Flynn, Alto—Mary Louise Frost, Margaret Lacey, Mrs. G. O. Webster, Mrs. Florence Aldrich, Lorna Carpenter, Mrs. S. G. Baker, Margaret Slina.

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**Jerseyville Woman Purchases Theater At Carrollton Again**

Will Take Possession January 1; Other News from County Seat

Carrollton.—Mrs. S. E. Pirtle of Jerseyville has purchased the Bijou theater here from P. W. Dickson, effective Jan. 1, 1938. The Pirtles own several other theaters and were owners of the local theater several years ago.

Carrollton chapter of A. F. & A. M. at its regular meeting last week elected the following officers for the coming year: Delbert Driver, high priest; Keith Sturmon, king; Dr. Fred Walter, scribe; S. E. Pierson, treasurer; Lawrence J. Powell, secretary; Harry Mungall, principal sojourner; William Vogt, royal arch captain; Abel Hansen, master three veil; Lynn Simpson, master one veil; William Cross, sentinel.

Word was received here Saturday morning that Jack Ballard of this city had been in a head-on collision of the truck he was driving and a truck driven by William Rousin, 37, of 2623 Russell avenue, St. Louis, Thursday night on U. S. Highway 67, five miles north of Granite City near the east approach of the Chain of Rocks bridge. Ballard, who sustained only minor bruises, called an ambulance and had Rousin removed to St. Elizabeth's hospital in Granite City, where it was found he had sustained fractures of both legs and other injuries. Ballard claims that Rousin's truck was parked on the highway without lights burning.

Scarlet fever has again appeared in this city. Ellen Brannon of Woodville, a student in the senior class of the Carrollton high school living at the home of Arthur Roady here, is suffering from the disease. Her mother, Mrs. William Brannon is here nursing her.

William C. Bell is very seriously ill at his home southwest of this city.

Misses Eleanor McMahon, Nonie B. Carmody and Margaret Hogan visited in St. Louis Saturday.

The following Carrollton students of distant colleges arrived home for the Christmas vacation, Friday night: Miss Margaret Walter, University of Iowa, Iowa City; Fred Walter, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich.; and Neil Vedder, Jr., a student at the U. of Michigan.

Members of the Once-a-Month Bridge and Luncheon club held their regular meeting at a Hotel Lindsey, Thursday night. A Christmas party program was carried out.

**COLBY FUNERAL IS HELD HERE SUNDAY**

Funeral services for Solomon Colby were held at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon from Mount Emory Baptist church, in charge of Rev. T. A. Johnston of Peoria and Rev. H. L. Abel. The flowers were cared for by Mrs. Triona Duncan, Mrs. Bertha Berry and Mrs. Alice Scott.

The casket bearers were Addison Berry, Marion Cohen, John Damron, George Florence, Jim McGinnis and Ben Champ. Interment was in Jacksonville cemetery.

**TELEPHONE COMPANY FILES APPEAL PLEA**

An appeal of the decision of the case of Alfred Cowdin, set by the Illinois Industrial commission, was filed Monday morning in the circuit court by the Illinois Telephone company, by which Mr. Cowdin was employed.

The appeal asks that the court hear evidence in the case. The industrial commissioner awarded Cowdin damages of \$1,200.33.

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A social time followed during which the class presented to their teacher, Mrs. Ruth Calloway, a Christmas gift. A gift exchange was held and the opening of "Sunshine Pal" packages. Guests were Mary Frances Anderson, Shirley Baker, Eddie Hynes and Peggy Wells. Members present were Mrs. Ruth Calloway, Miss Vera Rice, Mrs. Treanopol Hynes, Mrs. Erna Mattes, Mrs. Verna Schone, Mrs. Anna Ommen, Mrs. Pave McAllister, Mrs. Boneta Muntman, Mrs. Irene Baker, Mrs. Edna Myers, Mrs. Mildred Griffen, Miss Marie Alderson, Mrs. Lucile Knight, Mrs. Olea McDonald, Mrs. Irma Wilson, Mrs. Blanch Wells, and Mrs. Vernetta Anderson. The January meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Margaret Hinds, Friday, Jan. 7, 1938.

**Bismarck HOTEL CHICAGO**

**Central Illinois Deaths**

Jerseyville—Funeral services for Mrs. Harry N. Cory were held Monday afternoon, December 20th at 2:00 o'clock from the home of her sister, Mrs. A. H. Cochran on South State street.

Mr. John Lampe, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city officiated and interment was in Oak Grove cemetery.

Mrs. Cory was fatally injured about four forty-five o'clock Friday afternoon when she was hit by a car driven by Robert Clarke of Jerseyville, while crossing the street near her home.

An inquest was conducted Saturday afternoon by Coroner H. H. Seely and a verdict of accidental death was returned by the jury.

Mrs. Geneva Tucker Gilmore—Roodhouse.—Mrs. Geneva Tucker Gilmore, 27 years old, died here at nine o'clock Monday morning at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Tucker. Mrs. Gilmore had been ill but a few days with pneumonia.

She is survived by her husband, Kenneth Gilmore, and by the following brothers and sisters: Rollie, Thomas, and Wilson Tucker, Roodhouse, and Leonard Tucker of Glenview, Illinois; Mrs. Effie Havlin and Mrs. Helen Dean of White Hall.

The body was taken to the Mackey Funeral Home. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

Mrs. Minerva Elliott—Petersburg.—Miss Minerva Elliott, 61, life long resident of Menard county, died Sunday night in a Jacksonville hospital after a brief illness.

Decedent is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Sarah McKee of Springfield, and Mrs. Eddie Rush of Williamsburg; one brother, George Elliott, Petersburg.

Remains were removed to the Sateris funeral home in this city.

Olin Rutledge Rohrer—Waverly.—Olin Rutledge Rohrer, 71, a retired farmer of Widen, where he had resided for the last thirty-eight years, died at 11:45 a. m. Saturday at St. John's hospital, Springfield following an illness of two weeks.

Surviving are his wife, Edith, daughter, Ethelene, and son, Russell, all of Widen, and one brother, Curtis, Chicago. Remains were removed to the Berry funeral home at Widen, where services were held at 2 p. m. Monday.

Decedent was born at Rohrer, near Waverly, and spent all of his life in central Illinois. In 1893 he went to Widen where he opened the Farmers and Merchants bank. In 1897 he married Edith Shriver, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. William A. Shriver, Viridian. Mr. Rohrer was a lifelong member of the Methodist church.

Mrs. Abbie Louise Read—Greenfield.—Mrs. Abbie Louise Read, 76, died at the home of her son Edgar five miles west of Rockbridge at 2:45 a. m., Monday. Decedent was born July 1, 1861, in Sangamon county, the daughter of Nathan and Mary Dorrance Underwood.

She was married April 22, 1880, to Abe Read. He preceded her in death Jan. 30, 1925.

Nine children were born, seven of whom survive. They are: Dr. Charles Read of Los Angeles, Calif.; Earl Read of Springfield, Mrs. Oscar Cloyd of Curran, Mrs. Lee Hubbard of Curran, Mrs. Martin Anderson of Hartford, Wis.; Adrian and Edgar at home. Two sisters, Mrs. Vera Dodge and Miss Belle Underwood of Loomis, also survive.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday at the Wrights Baptist church at 1 p. m. by the Rev. T. J. Roady of Kane. Burial will be in the Hickory Grove cemetery.

The remains were removed to the Shields & Son mortuary here where they were prepared for burial.

**Sunbeam S. S. Holds Christmas Party**

Program is Presented; Other News Notes from Chapin

Chapin.—The Sunbeam Sunday school held its annual Christmas party Friday, Dec. 17, at the home of Mrs. Vernetta Anderson with Mrs. Blanch Wells, assistant hostess. A pot luck dinner was enjoyed at noon and the following program given:

Prayer—Mrs. Treanopol Hynes.

Scripture, Matt. 1:18-25 — Mrs. Blanch Wells.

Roll Call—A desired Christmas gift, Bible Story—Mrs. Boneta Muntman.

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TRY A CLASSIFIED AD

**Father of Local Woman Succumbs**

Oscar Breyer Dies at Home in Winchester Sunday After Illness

Winchester.—Oscar Breyer, 86, of this city died at 6:30 p. m. Sunday at his home here after a short illness. Mr. Breyer had been a farmer and laborer all his life.

Decedent is survived by his wife and two daughters, Miss Grace Breyer of Jacksonville and Mrs. Vitals Teaney of Winchester.

Services in his memory will be held at the Danner funeral home here on Wednesday at 1:30 p. m. in charge of the Rev. H. Seiving, pastor of the German Lutheran church at Chapin. Interment will be in the Winchester cemetery.

**Greene Boy Scout Leader Dies Sunday In Local Hospital**

Septicemia and Pneumonia Fatal to Former St. Louis Police Officer

Roodhouse.—August Albert Gillman, 38, for the past six years a resident of Roodhouse and a former St. Louis policeman, died Sunday in Passavant hospital in Jacksonville of septicemia and bronchial pneumonia, following a short illness. Mr. Gillman for many years has been head of the Boy Scout activities in this city.

Decedent was born in St. Louis, and for 13 years was a member of the police force of that city. He retired from the force there because of an injury and came to Roodhouse six years ago to make his home.

Since coming here, Mr. Gillman has been identified with Boy Scout activities and has spent considerable time in developing the troops here. He was a veteran of the World War.

He is survived by his wife, Myrtle, his father, J. J. Gillman and a stepmother, of Downer's Grove, a brother Henry and a sister Mrs. Ed Glavin, of Chicago.

Services in his memory will be held Tuesday at 2 p. m. at the W. E. Reeve Funeral home where the remains were removed from the hospital. Rev. Roy March, of Hettick, will be in charge of the services, assisted by the Rev. R. E. Best of Roodhouse. Burial will be in the Fernwood cemetery.

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**Japs Can't Win, Is Opinion of Canton Native Living Here**

Jim Leong Says American Chinese are Helping Brothers With Funds

The Japs can never conquer China, or at least they won't if Jim Leong, local Chinese laundryman, has anything to say about it. Working in his place of business Monday, Leong took time out to tell a Journal reporter what he thought of the situation.

When asked if he thought that the Japs would ever conquer China, he answered quickly and positively. "They can't," he pointed out, however, that the Chinese are having a hard time because they have no money to wage the war.

Leong is a native of Canton, one of the big South China cities not yet attacked, but even now fearing the invasion of the Jap hosts. He came to the United States in 1917 during the World War. He deplored the fact that times are rather hard, and he cannot send as much money to his native China to help his people against their enemies.

He did say that Chinese in this country are putting a steady stream of money into the war against Japan. News from Chicago's Chinatown bears out this statement. It is reported that Chicago's Chinese citizens have already sent more than half a million dollars to help their struggling countrymen.

Leong indicated that he had not traveled much in China, but he exhibited a spirit of fellowship with the Chinese in the provinces that been ravaged by war.

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## Christmas Program At Congregational Church on Dec. 22

Service Based on Story of  
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An unusual Christmas program will be staged by the members of the Congregational church social on Wednesday evening at seven o'clock.

The program will begin with the Junior Choir Processional followed by

a dramatic Christmas service, entitled "Thank God for Song" in which the congregation participates. The service of worship is based on the writing of "Silent Night, Holy Night." The setting is a little Bavarian town Christmas time 1818. The speaking characters are as follows:

The Herald Angel—Helen Mutch  
Father Joseph Mohr—Bill Clark  
Franz Gruber—Bud Black  
The Reader—Bob Caldwell  
Otto—Richard Allen  
Fritz—Don Caldwell

The singing character, Marie, will be taken by Doris Robinson and the violin character, Franz Gruber's friend by Professor F. G. Meyers.

The program committee consists of Mrs. Ellsworth Black, Mrs. Howard Potter, Mrs. W. A. Fay and Mrs. W. H. Pankhurst.

Lighting and staging effects will be supervised by John Agger.

## Mrs. George Winner Of Virginia Expires

Sister of Tom Stout Dies  
After Stroke; Funeral  
to Be Tuesday

Virginia—Mrs. George Winner, 52, died at 4 a. m. Sunday at her home here. She suffered a stroke Saturday and did not regain consciousness.

Decedent, the former Miss Mary Elizabeth Stout, was born in Virginia and resided all of her life in the community. She is survived by her husband and a son, Vernon Winner; two sisters, Mrs. Ada Boyd and Mrs. Stella Hackman, Virginia, three brothers, Thomas Stout of Jacksonville, Stephen Stout of Philadelphia township, east of here.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Tuesday, at Assembly of God tabernacle, Rev. G. A. Brewer will officiate and interment will be in Ashland City cemetery.

## Probate Court Orders

Estate of Ashmead Chester—Recast of final report with receipts in full for final distribution approved. Executor, Lela M. Cooper, discharged and estate declared closed.

Estate of Sarah E. Calhoun—Final report of Gertrude Dicks, executor of the estate of Timothy J. Calhoun, and William H. Nece, administrator P.B. N., C.T.A. on file. Proof made of mailing notices. Report approved. Administrator ordered to make distribution.

Estate of Edward Challans. Report of sale of personal property approved. Estate of Timian J. Calhoun—Inventory approved.

Estate of Alice M. Green—Petition to sell and transfer securities allowed. Estate of Lucinda G. Kirby—Hearing on petition to probate will. Albert W. Hall appointed guardian ad litem for all minor heirs and legatees. Witnesses sworn, evidence heard. Instrument offered admitted as last will and testament. Petition for letters of administration allowed. Bond waived. Ordered that letters issue to Harry M. Capps.

## White Hall Groups Hold Xmas Parties

Golden Era Community Club  
Has 80 Persons Present  
for All-day Meeting

White Hall—The Golden Era Community club held their Christmas party Sunday at an all day meeting at the school house. The party was postponed from Friday night on account of the icy weather and bad roads. There were eighty persons present Sunday. A pot luck dinner was served at noon and a Christmas tree and gift exchange, grab bag, Santa Claus was too busy to come so he sent Mrs. Santa Claus who distributed gifts to the children. Outside talent who contributed to the program in the afternoon included Harry Price, Mike Kinser and Brady Havelin who played instrumental music. Tommie Keenan of Alsey gave a recitation, and Dolores, Louise and Elmer Settles of White Hall each gave recitations. The following children from the school gave Christmas readings: Charlotte Martin, Josephine Nash, Donald Hawk, Byron Chrisman, and Dale Nichols. Two short plays were given. "The Christmas Prayer," by Ursula Nash, Dolores Hawk, Doris Nichols, Denny Nash, and Donald Hawk. "Daddy's Christmas," was given by Byron Chrisman, Dolores Hawk, Dale Nichols, Ursula Nash, Denny Nash and Doris Nichols. There was a song by the school "Santa Claus Land."

Matron's Club Meets  
The Matron's club of Lorton's Prairie met Friday all day with Mrs. Kenneth Davis east of the city. There were twenty-three present, including three guests. The guests were Mrs. Major Gilmore and Mrs. Eugene Rawlings of Roodhouse vicinity, and Mrs. Marvin Cox. A pot luck dinner was served at noon, and an exchange of gifts was held in the afternoon. Mrs. Lloyd Lorton was elected president to succeed Mrs. A. R. McConathy. The club has no other officers.

The Loyal Women's class of the Christian church held a postponed party Friday at the home of Mrs. Charles Campbell on North Main street. There were fourteen present. A pot luck dinner at noon and a gift exchange were features. Election of officers was held and Mrs. W. O. Tankersley was re-elected president. Mrs. Mark Henderson, vice-president and Mrs. Charles Campbell was re-elected secretary and treasurer. It was voted to give \$3.50 to the Old Folks Home in Jacksonville for their Christmas dinner, and \$2.00 to Miss Edith Hyatt, principal of the grade school to buy toys for needy children in the school. Other organizations are assisting in the school projects also. The president's gift basket which was started in August was opened and that contributed eleven dollars to the class fund. The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Cliff Collins on West Franklin street.

Members of the Masonic lodge held their annual oyster supper at the lodge room Thursday night and were greatly surprised at the close of the meeting when ready to serve to find that their wives had arrived and expected supper too. R. S. Dicken had planned the surprise on the men and carried it through very nicely. There were talks by Mr. Dickson and Rev. C. W. Kerst and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Anell Brannan entertained at a family dinner Friday evening, complimenting their only grand child, Billy Crocker, who was one year old that day. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crocker and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lorton.

## W. A. NORMAN FUNERAL HELD IN CITY SUNDAY

Funeral services for William A. Norman were held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon from the Williamson Funeral Home, in charge of Rev. D. C. Byus, assisted by Rev. William J. Boston. Music was furnished by Irene Daniels and Mrs. Blanche Beattie, with Mrs. Orville Crum as accompanist.

The floral tributes were cared for by Mrs. Rena Thompson and Mrs. Sallie Deatherage. The casket bearers were John Guy, Coy Stice, Orville Jokish, Harry Fetisich, Ed Ater and Ellis Thompson. Interment was in Arcadia cemetery.

Miss Florence McAvoy has returned to her work in the C. R. Lewis grain office after an illness of several days.

## Mrs. Harold Gard Hostess to Class

Christmas Party is Enjoyed;  
Other News Notes from  
Meredosia

Meredosia—Mrs. Harold Gard entertained her Sunday school class at a Christmas party at the church basement Wednesday night. She was assisted by Mrs. Walter McAllister. A Christmas tree was the feature of the evening and the girls enjoyed a gift exchange after which a pot luck luncheon was served. As a last course the hostess served refreshments. Those present were: Margaret Gaddis, Rosemary Harbert, Virginia Martin, Delores McAllister, Jean Beauchamp, Jean Coffman, Grace Helen Pula, and Norma Boyd. Little Patsy Gard was a guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Husted and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Husted of West Branch, Michigan, who have spent the past two weeks with the former's daughter, Mrs. Earl Allen and family, left Thursday for Jackson, Miss., and Foley, Ala., where they expect to spend the remainder of the winter. Jeff Webster of Meta Mo., is making a visit with relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Hal Johnson is employed for a time in Plymouth, Ill.

The Welcome class of the M. E. Sunday school will have its Christmas social in the church basement Tuesday evening at 7:30.

Mrs. Joe Hughes and son Bobby Castle have been visiting this past week with the former's husband who is employed by the Grant Construction Co. in Kutawa, Ky.

The Evans Construction Co. of Springfield have been busy this past week digging the basement for the new high school building.

Mrs. Ethan Allen has returned to her home here after a month's visit with her mother in Caddo Mills, Tex.

Mrs. Andy Omfen, Mrs. C. O. Summers and Mrs. Raymond Scott were visitors in Beardstown Friday afternoon.

A special Christmas program will be given next Sunday evening at the M. E. church, and will be as follows: Christmas Prelude, Mrs. H. A. Naylor; opening hymn, "Joy to the World," congregation; prayer, special music by the Hitt Brothers; chorus, by choir; "Good Tidings," solo, "Wondrous Vision," Prof. Briggs; quartette, numbers; chorus, "Glorious Be to God," choir; hymn, congregation; chorus, "Above the Silent Hills," choir; closing hymn, "Silent Night," benediction.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Summers were business visitors in Jacksonville Saturday.

Mrs. Marguerite Yeakel and daughter, Mrs. Herman Rausch, were visitors in Beardstown Friday afternoon.

## PARENTS OF DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Strang, are the parents of an eight pound daughter, Carol, born Sunday at Our Saviour's hospital. Mrs. Strang, before her marriage, was Miss Bertha Pahlman of Murrayville.

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## HUNTING DOGS DIE FROM POISON HERE

Say Animals Lost After Visit  
to Unposted Ground  
Near City

Hunters in this community reported Monday that dogs have been poisoned on unposted ground southwest of the city. During the past week James O'Connell lost a valuable bird dog after hunting in the territory. The animal became ill while on the hunt and was taken home. It died in about thirty hours.

Two valuable coon dogs belonging to some hunters from Alton who visited the section, suffered the same fate. Both animals died from the effects of the poison. It is believed the poison had been placed in the hunting area, probably on some kind of meat.

## DARLENE NUNES IS HOSTESS TO FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Nunes entertained a group of little friends of their daughter, Darlene, in honor of her sixth birthday anniversary at their home Saturday afternoon. Games were played and refreshments in keeping with the season were served. She was the recipient of many gifts.

Among her kindergarten classmates and friends present were the following: Margaret Ann Schildman, Janet Shadid, John LaVorne McSherry, Doris Jean Coe, Patsy Ann Timmerman, Alice Mae Timmerman, Mary Elizabeth and Joann Coe, Billy Large, Ruth and Virginia Summers, Harriet Jones, Joan DeWese, Violet Davis, Colleen Drake, Rosalyn Nunes, Betty Enfield, Evelyn Conlee, Harold Davis, Verna Lois Daniels, Barbara and LaWanda Hazelwood, Eugenia, Dolores and Darlene Nunes.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Francis Petri et al to Lester Walger, warranty deed to northeast quarter, 11-16-13.

Paul Trubus et al to Louis Otersen, warranty deed to south half lot 14, Saunderson's addition to Jacksonville.

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## Burlington Given Right to Purchase J. & H. Tracks Here

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Grants Authority

Washington, Dec. 20.—(AP)—The Interstate Commerce Commission authorized the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad today to purchase for \$75,000 certain terminal tracks in Jacksonville, Ill., formerly owned and operated by the Jacksonville & Havana Railroad Company.

The properties include 55 mile of first main track, 48 mile of second main track, and about 2.13 miles of spur tracks.

The commission said acquisition of the properties would enable the carrier to close a gap between two parts of its line.

The gap referred to in the above account extends from the junction of the Burlington and J. & H. tracks south to East State street. The Burlington has always used the J. & H., and formerly the C. P. & St. L. tracks to enter the city from the north.

Now that the J. & H. line has been sold and is to be scrapped, the Burlington must purchase the road's properties in this city to close the gap in its own lines through Jacksonville. It was understood at the time the J. & H. was sold that the Burlington would make this purchase. Beyond State street to the south the Burlington continues through the city over its own tracks.

## REPORTED IMPROVED

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## SOCIAL CALENDAR

Today

Chapter E. I. P.E.O., will meet on Tuesday evening at 6:00 o'clock for dinner and a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Ray Grunz, 1 Duncan Place.

The Order of Eastern Star will meet at 8:30 o'clock on Tuesday evening, at the Odd Fellows Hall, in Murrayville.

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## ABIC Booster Club Has Annual Party To Mark Christmas

**Bernita Hutches Is Named  
President at Election;  
Receive Bonuses**

The Booster Club of the American Bankers Insurance Company held its annual Christmas party in the recreation hall of the home office building Monday evening.

An excellent buffet supper was enjoyed by fifty-four members and guests at the completion of which a musical program with the story of the Christmas carol was presented by Mrs. Lois Eckman, pianist; Mrs. Lois Hardin, soloist; Gertrude Curtis, violin obligato. The program was in charge of Mrs. Lois Eckman.

The retiring president, Clemens Derksen, then announced the results of the election of officers for 1938, as follows:

**President**—Bernita Hutches.  
**Vice-President**—Mildred Spencer.  
**Secretary**—Lorna Carpenter.  
**Treasurer**—Jeanette Withee.

Each employee of the company was presented with a Christmas bonus, and the evening was concluded with a Christmas gift exchange.

## PLAN PROGRAM AT CERES SCHOOL FRIDAY

Murrayville, Dec. 20.—The pupils of Ceres school will present a Christmas program, under the direction of their teacher, Miss Della C. Simmons, Friday evening at 7:30.

After the program Santa will distribute gifts from the tree. The program is as follows:

Song, "Welcome Friends"—By School.

Recitation, "First Choice"—Mary Hutton.

Recitation, "A Christmas Carol"—Bobby Busch.

Recitation, "A Christmas Carol"—Audrey Hall.

Play, "Trouble in Santa Claus Land"—Eight children.

Recitation, "Let Us Be Gay"—Merna Motley.

Recitation, "A Wish and a Promise"—Ruth Goacher.

Song, "Olmecs of Christmas"—By School.

Recitation, "For Christmas Day"—Dean Canale.

Recitation, "Once More"—Helen Motley.

Song, "Santa Claus Is Coming to Town"—Marjane Riggs.

Exercise, "A Cross Acrostic"—Nine Primary Children.

Reading, "Christmas Chimes"—Doris Harper.

Recitation, "Strategy"—Jack Ashlock.

Pageant, "The Christmas Story"—By School.

Recitation, "The Champion Traveler"—Dale Motley.

Recitation, "Who Was the Blame?"—Harold Riggs.

Dialogue, "The Christmas Spirit"—Six Children.

Recitation, "All He Wants"—Junior Riggs.

Song, "A Christmas Lullaby"—Mary Hutton, Ruth Goacher and Verna Motley.

Recitation, "The Bad Little Boy"—Doris Goacher.

Recitation, "The Bells of Christmas Time"—Rose Busch.

Dialogue, "Aunt Serena as a Christmas Present"—Doris Harper, Jack Ashlock and Dean Canale.

Reading, "Just For Christmas"—Bobby Schaefer.

Recitation, "No Stockings to Wear"—Cecil Powers.

Song, "Just For Christmas"—Edward Powers.

Song, "Christmas Time"—By School.

Recitation, "Good Night"—Blanche Motley.

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## ASBURY AID SOCIETY ENTERTAINS AT PARTY AT HEMBROUGH HOME

Asbury Aid society held its Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl L. Hembrough last Thursday with their husbands as guests. Mrs. Dan Crane, Mrs. Anna Becker and Mrs. Chauncey Carter were assistant hostesses. At noon a pot-luck dinner was served to seventy-two people.

During the morning they sewed for Passavant hospital and in the afternoon the following program was given:

Scripture reading—Mrs. Carter. Christmas carols led by Mrs. Dan Crane.

Roll call—A Christmas Greeting. Piano solo—Marie Hembrough. Paper, Kindness—Aileen Barrows. Vocal solo—Rev. Dan Crane. Recitation—Jimmy Hembrough. Poem, Happiness—Kathleen Hembrough.

Mystery Pals revealed. Gift exchange from a lighted Christmas tree.

Mrs. George Haynes, the president, presented the pastor, Rev. Dan Crane, a Christmas box, a gift from the society.

## Mrs. Lee Braner Hostess to Club

**Pot Luck Dinner Is Enjoyed;  
Other News Notes from  
Arenville**

Arenville.—Mrs. Lee Braner was hostess to the Helping Hand club at an all day meeting at her home Friday.

At noon a potluck dinner was served. The day was spent in piecing a quilt for the hostess. During the meeting Mrs. Clarence Thompson and Mrs. John Zulauf became new members of the club. The Christmas gift exchange was also held at which time the Sunshine friend of each member was revealed.

Those present were Mrs. Flora Johnson, Mrs. Lulu Hofstetter, Mrs. Dan Miller, Mrs. Wilbur Huey, Mrs. F. A. Pilsgror, Mrs. Alice Oiger, Mrs. Clarence Thompson, Mrs. H. C. Johnson, and Mrs. Braner.

The Junior Walthers League met in the basement of the Trinity Lutheran church Wednesday evening. G. C. Folkerts was in charge of the topic study. Games furnished the entertainment for the remainder of the evening. Those present were Miss Dorothy Roegge, Miss Alana Reno, Miss Muriel Nicol, Miss Pauline Winkelman, Miss Helen Thym, Miss Marjorie Witte, Robert Reno, Arthur Schlueter, Glen Lovelamp, Harold Noble, and G. C. Folkerts.

## NORTONVILLE NEWS NOTES OF INTEREST WRITTEN TO JOURNAL

Nortonville, Dec. 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Seymour were Sunday dinner guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Gus Henry, of Franklin. In the afternoon they attended the funeral of Mrs. Agnes Stipes.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan McLamar, daughters, Betty and Mary Ruth were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vedder and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Seymour and son, Van Jr., were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hart of Harris community.

Frank Vedder returned Thursday evening from Bloomington, having been called there by the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. Sophronia Vedder. Mrs. Vedder is a patient at the St. Joseph hospital, but was somewhat improved when her son departed for home.

The pupils of the Nortonville school under the direction of the teachers, Helen Redfern and Lydia Seymour will present a Christmas program Friday evening, Dec. 24, at 7:00 p.m. Santa Claus will arrive to distribute the presents from the Community Christmas tree, following the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vedder stopped in Jacksonville Monday.

Legion Meeting Tonight.

## Manchester Class Holds Xmas Party

**Baptist Ladies Meet With  
Mrs. Chas. Heaton for  
Annual Dinner**

Manchester.—Mrs. Charles S. Heaton was hostess to the members of the Room-for-You class of the Baptist church at an all day Christmas party Thursday. There were sixteen members and the following guests present: Mrs. J. W. Smith of Roodhouse, Mrs. Theresa Langdon, Mrs. E. F. Cuddy, Mrs. Henry Herron, Miss Pearl Rousey, Mrs. Leah Gregory.

The home was attractively decorated in keeping with the Christmas season. A sumptuous covered dish dinner was served at the noon hour. During the business session, Mrs. Harry Day was admitted as a new member to the class. A Christmas box was packed for the Huddleson Orphan's Home at Irvington, Illinois, and an exchange of Christmas gifts was held.

**Golden Rule Party**  
Eighteen members of the Golden Rule Circle of the M. E. church enjoyed a Christmas party and class social at the home of Mrs. F. R. Schwartz Thursday night. Mrs. Ted Clark was assistant hostess and also devotional leader. The meeting was opened by singing "Silent Night, Holy Night." Mrs. Earl Young and Mrs. Emory Smith were admitted as new members to the class. Mrs. R. L. McConnell read a very interesting and instructive paper on "Christmas Carols." A gift exchange created great excitement and merriment. The gifts were piled around a beautifully decorated Christmas tree. Refreshments of plum pudding, coffee and chocolate Santa Claus' were served.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rochester and son of White Hall spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nolan and family.

Mr. Rolly Cooper is quarantined at his home suffering from scarlet fever.

**Club Pot Luck Dinner**  
The Stitches and Chatter Club held a pot luck dinner at the home of Mrs. Russell Chapman Friday. Christmas decorations were an attraction to the very appetizing noon meal. During the afternoon, Bingo was played and also a gift exchange held. Those attending were Mrs. R. L. McConnell, daughter Sarah Lee, Mrs. H. A. Langdon, Mrs. Leah Gregory, Mrs. H. L. Sinclair, Mrs. Clyde Walker and Mrs. Gilbert Evans. Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Evans were admitted as new members to the club.

**Give Birthday Party**  
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Day entertained a number of friends at a party Wednesday evening in honor of their daughter, Katherine's seventeenth birthday anniversary. A social time was enjoyed and several interesting games were played. Refreshments were served. The guest of honor was the recipient of several useful gifts. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jones and family of White Hall, the Misses Ruby Bruce, Helen Smith, Wanda Cooley, Audrey Bruce, Margaret Smith, Carson Ballard, Leon Smith, Dennis Ballard, Donald Bruce.

Miss Lois Simmons of Jacksonville was a week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Simmons. Miss Lois has been transferred from her duties at the Norbury Sanatorium to the State Hospital in Jacksonville. She will commence her work at the hospital Monday.

Friends have received word that Junior VanOdel was injured in an automobile accident recently and suffered a double fracture of his limb. He is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. VanOdel in Prentice. The VanOdel family were former residents here having moved to Prentice only a few weeks ago.

Mrs. Emory Funks has been quite ill suffering from a severe case of tonsillitis.

## W.P.A. OFFICE TO MOVE FROM SQUARE TO COURT HOUSE

Plans for the establishment of an additional office in the local court house have been completed. The W.P.A. office now housed in the old Farrell bank building will be transferred to the court house and use the office used by the Old Age Pension office.

The pension department will move to the court room across from the county superintendent's office. This room will undergo some changes before it is ready for occupancy. A partition is being built through the room.

## HERSCHEL DAVISON WEDS HELEN MILES

Miss Helen Miles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Miles, and Herschel D. Davison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Davison, were married Friday at 6 p.m. at the Central Christian church parsonage by the Rev. M. L. Pontius. The single ring ceremony was read to the couple, who were accompanied by Raymond Miles, a brother of the bridegroom, and Miss Mary F. Henry. The young couple will live in Waverly.

**GIFFORD-DUNN**  
Hollywood, Dec. 20.—(P)—James Dunn, king of the film clowns' eligible bachelors, and Frances Gifford, pretty brunette actress, will be married New Year's day, they announced today.

**CALLING ALL MEN:—Buy HER a real lasting gift at FLEXNER'S—A Dress, a Robe—Silk Hosiery.**

## WHAT WOULD LUPE SAY?



Firebrand Lupe Velez wasn't there, and maybe it was best for Johnny Weissmuller, famed screen Tarzan, that she wasn't. Shapely Evelyn Thorne of Burbank, Calif., pictured with him, was the star swimmer's companion much of the time during his visit to the Hawaiian Islands.

## New Obstruction On Yangtze-Balks Refugee Steamer

(Continued from Page One)  
Nanking, the former capital, captured by the Japanese a week ago. General Iwane Matsui, commanding Japanese forces in the Yangtze valley, announced the advance into the interior would be continued shortly unless the Chinese ceased all resistance. He said Japanese troops were resting now but soon would begin new drives into Anhwei and Chekiang provinces.

Fears of early Japanese attacks caused near-panic conditions among the big Chinese populations of Tsingtao, Shantung province port 390 miles north of here, and Canton, the great metropolis of the south.

Reports from south China said it was believed large Japanese army landing operations would be made soon at Blas bay, hitherto noted haunt of Chinese pirates just north of the British colony of Hongkong. Canton would be the objective of such a thrust, which was expected to increase materially the friction between Japan and Great Britain.

Thousands of frightened Chinese were fleeing from Canton to Hongkong. In the British colony uneasiness grew over the prospect of dangerous incidents if major warfare came close to its boundaries.

In Tsingtao the feared Japanese attack failed to develop, although Chinese were sure it would come in retaliation for the destruction by Chinese troops of rich Japanese cotton mills at that port. A Japanese spokesman said damage there already exceeded 300,000,000 yen (\$87,000,000).

United States Consul Samuel Sokobin reported from Tsingtao that the port was quiet, Americans safe and damage limited to Japanese mills. The American cruiser Marblehead, destroyer Pope and gunboat Sacramento lay in Tsingtao harbor to protect and evacuate, if necessary, some 300 Americans there.

## SONS OF LEGION AT CHRISTMAS PARTY

Sons of the American Legion enjoyed a Christmas party last night at the Legion Home. Forty boys being present. Each member took a gift and these were exchanged. Bingo, with 15 prizes, furnished amusement. The party concluded with the serving of ice cream and cake.

## SUGAR MARKET

Washington, Dec. 20.—(P)—The senate ratified today the international agreement signed at London in May to stabilize the world sugar market for five years.

## FRACTURE PROVES FATAL

Batavia, Dec. 20.—(P)—A fractured hip resulting from a fall on the ice 10 days ago proved fatal to F. E. Marley, 75, founded in 1892 of the Weekly Batavia Herald. He had been retired 10 years.

**AT CONOVER HOME**  
Miss Dorothy Conover, who teaches in Ogden, Utah, is spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Conover.

**CALLING ALL MEN:—Buy HER a real lasting gift at FLEXNER'S—A Dress, a Robe—Silk Hosiery.**

## Manchester Club Makes Xmas Gift

**East Side Helping Club  
Sends Quilt to Carmi  
Orphans' Home**

Manchester, Dec. 20.—The members of the East Side Helping club held an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. Bertha McClure Thursday. A pot luck dinner was served at the noon hour. Following the business session, a quilt, that had been pieced and quilted by the club members, was packed to be sent as a gift to the Carmi Orphanage at Carmi, Illinois. A gift exchange followed.

Those attending were Mrs. Robert Edwards, Mrs. Leo Rochester, Mrs. Dick Daniels, Mrs. Roy Daniels, Mrs. Emory Smith, Mrs. Hardin Smith, Mrs. Charles E. Thady, Mrs. E. C. Chapman, Mrs. William Horton, all of Manchester, and Mrs. Wilburn Lawson of Jacksonville.

Frank C. Roe was a business caller in White Hall Saturday morning.

Recent guests of Mrs. Bertha McClure were Mrs. Mabel McClure, son James, Miss Edna Jones and Mr. Perry Sherwin of Winchester.

Mrs. H. A. Langdon spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith of Jacksonville.

Mr. Walter Rimbey of Murrayville was calling on friends here Thursday.

Mrs. Tina Kinser and son Harry of Pleasant Hill neighborhood were Saturday visitors of the former's daughter, Mrs. Leah Gregory.

Mrs. Anna Booth Stratton left Saturday afternoon for Roodhouse where she will remain for the rest of the winter.

**Injured by Fall**  
Mrs. Ida Clark, who has been staying at the home of Mrs. Bertha Arendell, accidentally fell recently and injured herself so badly that she was forced to return to the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Cooper. Miss Norma Estler is staying in the Arendell home.

**Sidney Carman** returned home Saturday after a ten day's visit with his grandmother, Mrs. Etta Clark of White Hall.

Mrs. Donald Bridges of Roodhouse was a Saturday morning visitor of Mrs. William Bridges.

Mrs. Bernard More of near Winchester was calling on friends here Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lewis of near Murrayville have moved to the Mrs. Kirby Tankersley farm west of town.

**Birthday Dinner**  
Mrs. Lloyd Johnson held a surprise birthday dinner Thursday evening in honor of her husband's birthday anniversary. After the meal, a social time was enjoyed. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Alden Johnson, Miss Lyndell Johnson of Roodhouse, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wayne Edwards, Mrs. Hannah Edwards, Billy Andras, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kelly and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whewell and family and Mr. John Copley of Independence neighborhood were recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. John Kelly, Sr., and Miss Helen Copley.

**CARLOS VIERRA**  
Santa Fe, N. M., Dec. 20.—(P)—Carlos Vierra, about 60, nationally known painter, died here today.

Among his works were murals in the State Museum depicting the life of St. Francis de Assisi, patron Saint of Santa Fe.

**Mrs. Stover's Candy**  
**GILBERT'S Pharmacy.**

## Roodhouse School Honors Announced

**Leaders at End of Second Six  
Weeks Stated; Other  
Roodhouse News**

Roodhouse.—Second six weeks. 1937-38 High School Honor Roll has been announced as follows:

**Seniors**—Mary Ellen Edwards, Donald Marsh, Marian McCartney, Dale Mehrhoff, Charles Mueller, Grace Moore, Margaret Travis.

**Juniors**—Emma Puffer, Aileen Castel, Mardell Hicks, Audrey Martin, Justine Neal, Paul Smith, Rheta Schumacher, Aileen Sprague.

**Sophomores**—Lloyd Andrews, Dale Mueller, Clair Gene Whitney, Martha Ballard, Robert Whitworth, Richard McGee.

**Freshmen**—Marilyn Sneed, Irene Smith, Billy Dee Neal, JoAnn Weinand, Rose Tippie, Helen Kennedy, Maxine Tiffany, Floyd Stone, Charles McGee, Lewin Maberry.

**M.W.A. Meets**  
The annual election of officers of Roodhouse Camp M.W.A. resulted in the re-election of all retiring officers as follows:

**Consul**—John A. McIver.  
**Adviser**—C. T. Wilkerson, Jr.  
**Banker**—John T. Shaw.  
**Escort**—Lee Whitworth.  
**Physician**—Dr. H. W. Smith.  
**Trustee for Term of Three Years**—F. M. Patterson.

Charles T. Bates is secretary of Roodhouse Camp, receiving his appointment from the head camp for an indefinite period.

**Masons Elect**  
E. M. Husted Lodge A. F. & A. Masons have elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

W. M.—W. A. Jolley.  
S. W.—Edwin Akers.  
J. W.—John Alfred Crabtree.  
**Treasurer**—Charles T. Bates.  
**Secretary**—A. L. Clark.

The above and appointive officers will be installed at the Jan. 10 meeting.

Harve Sorrells of Roodhouse, a patient at Our Saviour's hospital in Jacksonville remains the same, in a serious condition.

Al Gillman of Roodhouse, a patient at Passavant hospital in Jacksonville remains in a critical condition. He has been given two blood transfusions.

Ray I. Devilbiss who is ill at his home with pneumonia is slightly improved.

Mrs. Edward H. Lee is recuperating from a recent illness and able to be up and around some.

## 36 Convicted Men To Seek New Trial

**Found Guilty Saturday of  
Coal Field Terrorism**

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 20.—(P)—Council for 36 men, convicted by a federal jury of inter-union terrorism in central Illinois coal fields from 1932 to 1935, mapped a prolonged "fight through the courts" today.

The defendants, most of them affiliated now or formerly with the Progressive Miners of America, were found guilty Saturday of conspiracy to obstruct the mails and disrupt interstate commerce by bombing trains in the coal areas.

A. M. Fitzgerald, chief of the defense counsel, said he would file a motion for a new trial when the convicted men appear in court Wednesday. If the motion is overruled, Federal Judge Charles G. Briggie will impose sentence.

The men face maximum penalties of four years imprisonment and \$20,000 fines.

Fitzgerald said after sentence is passed, writs of superseades will be sought to free the defendants on bond before Christmas and an appeal taken to the U. S. circuit court of appeals in Chicago.

The indictments on which the men were convicted listed 36 railroad and mine bombings, seven attempted bombings and one railroad bridge burning.

The union war developed in 1932 when a number of miners bolted from John L. Lewis' United Mine Workers of America and formed the Progressive Union, which later affiliated with the A. F. of L.

Riotings, shootings and bombings followed.

## SAYS COUNTRY ON WAY BACK TO PROHIBITION

Chicago, Dec. 20.—Mrs. Ida B. Wise Smith, national president of Woman's Christian Union, said today the country is on the road back to prohibition.

Three to one was the majority by which repeal carried four years ago but the temperance leader said sentiment was swinging back and that drys would win a "fair and honest" referendum if one were held tomorrow.

Just returned from a national temperance conference in Washington, Mrs. Smith said she "wasn't silly enough" to predict how soon prohibition would return but declared:

"Some say four years, most people say, it's bound to come, perhaps not in this generation, but it will come."

**Legion Meeting Tonight.**

## Personal News Notes

Mrs. William Schmidt of Carrollton visited in Jacksonville Monday afternoon.

Melvin Olescop of Winchester was a local caller yesterday.

Harry Collins of Bluffs was a Monday visitor in the city.

R. L. McDewitt of Waverly was a Monday visitor in Jacksonville.

Wm. White of Virginia called in the city Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Josephine Walsh of Alexander stopped here yesterday.

Paul Cinder of Arenville visited in Jacksonville Monday.

Mrs. Robert Roach of Ashland was a Monday visitor in the city.

E. L. Fahnstock of Palmyra was a shopper in Jacksonville yesterday.

Howard Ridings of White Hall stopped in the city Monday afternoon.

Eugene Reardon and Dick McCracken of Manchester called in Jacksonville yesterday.

Mrs. T. L. Schultz and Miss Frances Schultz, who is home from Knox College for the holidays, were among Jacksonville shoppers from Beards-town yesterday.

Miss Lucille Coons of Winchester, who is a student at Knox college, was a visitor in the city Monday.

Harry Koch of Chapin stopped in Jacksonville yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Dean Cora of White Hall was a Monday caller in the city.

## Stipes Funeral Held at Franklin

**Services Conducted Sunday;  
Other News Notes from  
Franklin**

Franklin, Ill., Dec. 20.—Funeral services for Mrs. George Stipes were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the M. E. church with Rev. Arthur H. Coleman officiating.

Music was furnished by Mrs. Russell Haynes, Mrs. Thomas Williamson, Norman and Wilbur Seymour, Mrs. Hersy Crain was the accompanist.

The flowers were cared for by Mrs. Fred Tribble, Mrs. Holland Evans, Miss Mildred Tribble, Dorothy Tribble, Opal Gordon and Clio Witt.

The bearers were: Jess, Lealie, Olin, Justus, Fred and Elbert Tribble.

Burial was in Franklin cemetery.

**New Notes**  
The Franklin P. T. A. held its annual meeting in the gymnasium of the Franklin High school Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cottoy of Chicago arrived in Franklin Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Cottoy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Bryant.

Miss Beulah Roberts of Chicago returned home Sunday after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Lulu Wright, and other relatives. Mrs. Wright accompanied her home for a visit.

**PLAN CHRISTMAS  
PROGRAM SERVICES  
FOR WEDNESDAY EVE**

Special Christmas services will be held at the Lyndonville Christian church Wednesday evening at 7:30. The service will be as follows:

Prelude: "Christmas Fantasy" (Mueller).  
Congregational song: "Joy to the World."

Solo: Harold Hamel.  
Remarks and offering.  
Duet: "Christmas Starling"—Mrs. Heaton and Mrs. Hempel.

Pageant: "The Great Light"—By Dorothy Lehman Sumner.

The characters in the pageant are as follows:

Shepherds—Dennis, Byron Mason, Obed, Herschel Heaton, Gerald Heaton; Joseph, Jack McNeely.

Keeper of the Inn—John Ward. Rabbi—Clifford Cox.

Elizabeth—Aileen Heaton. Eunice—Juanita Lefelmann. Peter—Harlan Mason.

Voice—Mr. Lefelmann. Mary—Lois McNeely. Naomi—Helen Cox.

Four mourners—Irene Campbell, Grace World, Myrtle Mason, Stella Hoots.

Rich Young Ruler—Harold Hamel. Lepers—Bob Heaton, LeRoy Russell, Henry Mason, Donald Morris, John Brown, Edward Morris, Curtis Morris, Dick Brown.

Dr. Graham—John Ward.

College women—Helen Cox, Irene Campbell, Grace World, Myrtle Mason, Stella Hoots.

College men—Bob Heaton, LeRoy Russell, Henry Mason, Donald Morris, John Brown, Edward Morris, Curtis Morris, Dick Brown.

The first act takes place in Bethlehem on the night of Christ's birth; the second in Galilee during His ministry; and the third in Bethlehem on Christmas day, 1937.

An offering will be taken for the benevolent work of



# Blueboys Win From Crippled Hawaiians Easily By 53-42 Score

## E. St. Louis Noses Out Routt Rockets Sunday In Catholic League Contest By 32 To 31

East St. Louis Central Catholic night kept its undefeated record for the season intact Sunday afternoon on the Our Saviour's parish hardwoods when a Routt rally folded up in the last two and a half minutes of play, and left the visitors in front 32 to 31 in a Catholic school conference game.

The Rockets who dropped a one-sided game to the E. St. Louis team earlier this year, hung onto the Central club until midway through the third period when they fell steadily behind to trail 32 to 21 with about five minutes left to play. During the next two and a half minutes Routt banged the hoop so fast and furiously that the Central lead dwindled to a single point.

There the score stood as both teams furiously lashed up and down the court in an effort to get points. Neither team was able to hit the hoop, and the game ended without a score being made through the last two and half minutes.

Routt outscored their opponents from the field, 11 to 9, but fell down on the gift lane activities. The Rockets made only nine of 26 opportunities from the free throw line. Central missed but six of its opportunities.

Central in the first half. The invaders had a more rapid attack than the Rockets, and one that was willing to take a few more chances. While the Rockets had an attack that functioned with blinding speed at times, inability to get this attack to function consistently cost the locals the game, but they made a hectic battle all the way.

Central trailed at the end of the first quarter 9 to 7, but took over the lead at the half 15 to 14. Routt went out in front momentarily as the third quarter opened, lost it and then regained it before their offense went flying off on a tangent because of erratic passing. Central showed its best during the moments the Rockets were off form, taking a 26-21 lead at the three quarter mark, and stretching it to 32-21 before the Rockets launched their last attack one that almost gave Central its first defeat of the year.

**100 EAGLE STAMPS FREE**  
With each purchase of \$2 or more we will give \$10 in stamps extra until Christmas.  
**HOPPER'S SHOE STORE.**

Fouls were numerous as both teams went after the basketball and slipped on the precarious footing of the basketball court. Central team lost two players and Routt three via the personal foul rule.

The box score:  
Central (32) FG FT PF TP  
Magiera, f. 5 5 2 15  
Ty Kalowicz, f. 2 2 1 6  
Halden, f. 0 0 3 0  
Swierczek, c. 0 0 2 0  
Collins, c. 0 1 0 1  
Ryan, c. 0 4 4 4  
Hess, c. 0 1 0 1  
Harden, c. 0 0 4 0  
Kenny, g. 1 1 2 3  
Reidberger, g. 1 1 1 3

Totals 9 14 20 32  
Routt (31) FG FT PF TP  
P. McHatten, f. 1 4 3 3  
Johnson, f. 0 0 4 0  
Peiper, f. 0 0 2 0  
M. McHatten, f. 0 0 0 0  
Perry, c. 7 6 3 20  
Henry, c. 1 0 2 2  
Beurp, g. 1 2 4 4  
Berger, g. 0 0 0 0  
Doherty, g. 0 0 0 0

Totals 11 9 17 31  
Score by periods:  
Routt 9 14 21 31  
Central 7 15 26 32  
Officials—Murgatroyd and Crowe, Jacksonville.

## Expect Boosts in U.S. Military Fund

Washington, Dec. 20. — (AP)—Students of military and fiscal affairs expressed belief today that President Roosevelt would ask Congress next month to appropriate a record peace-time fund for the army and navy.

They said requests already received by the House appropriations committee indicated the president would ask more than the \$100,000,000 provided for the military establishment this fiscal year.

Members of the appropriations committee said budget estimates for the navy included a \$50,000,000 increase over its current \$18,000,000 fund, and that increases for the war department also were being sought.

Razors 50c to \$15.00.  
GILBERT'S Pharmacy.

## Feitshans Defeats Winchester, 34-23

Big Springfield Team Too Much for Wildcats in Game Last Night

Winchester, Dec. 20.—Superior height of the Feitshans High school team of Springfield kept the Wildcats effectively controlled tonight, the visitors winning 34 to 23.

Feitshans stepped out to a 14 to 3 lead by the end of the first half. Winchester made its best showing in the fourth quarter, largely through the accurate shots of Pile who piled up 12 points. At one stage of the last quarter only 4 points separated the teams, but Feitshans pulled away rapidly.

McQueen of Beardstown was referee. The score:

Winchester FG FT PF TP  
Montgomery, f. 0 0 0 0  
Sauer, f. 0 0 0 0  
Carlton, c. 4 1 9 9  
McLaughlin, f. 0 0 0 0  
Evans, g. 0 0 1 1  
Pile, g. 6 12 6 12  
Priest, g. 0 0 0 0

Totals 10 3 23  
Feitshans FG FT PF TP  
Kiserik, f. 0 0 0 0  
Korach, f. 2 1 5 5  
Kimball, f. 2 0 4 4  
Jallas, f. 2 0 4 4  
Conaway, c. 0 0 0 0  
Bryant, c. 2 1 5 5  
Huegel, g. 3 0 6 6  
Chenore, g. 3 0 6 6  
Nichols, g. 2 0 4 4  
Mills, g. 0 0 0 0

Totals 16 2 34

## MRS. HOVEY BURIED AT KEOKUK, IOWA

Funeral services for Mrs. Anna J. Hovey, who passed away in this city, were held last Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Pearson & Schmidt funeral home at Keokuk, Iowa. Rev. J. L. Pickett officiated, assisted by Rev. William S. D. Lamont.

"Abide With Me" and "In The Garden" were sung by Mrs. Eva Parks, with Mrs. Yates at the organ.

The basket bearers were Clarence Ferris, John Ferris, Clarence Foster, Sidney Wahlstrom, Horace Powers and Thomas Young. Interment was made in Oakland cemetery at Keokuk.

**VISITS PARENTS**  
John Russell, who teaches at Blackburn College, is spending the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Russell.

## Jerseyville And Jacksonville Highs To Meet Here Tonight

Jacksonville and Jerseyville high schools, athletic rivals for some time, will meet tonight on the David Prince hardwoods in another renewal of the feud which resulted in a 6 to 0 football victory for the Crimson on the last time the two high schools matched.

The Jays, however, are figuring rather strongly on taking the measure of the Crimson on the court, and their prospects are better this year than they have been for several years. Coach Frank Walker confessed that point yesterday when he continued his search for a scoring combination to off-set the balance Jerseyville has shown in games thus far this year.

There will be two games, the first at 7:15 p. m. matching the J. H. S. freshman sophomore squad against the Jerseyville varsity reserves, and another game, probably about 8:30, matching the varsities.

## BOWLING

### R & R ALLEYS LADIES' LEAGUE

Farm Bureau

Green 1st 2nd Tot.  
Sax 98 147 245  
Loneragan 157 98 255  
Seymour 91 82 173  
Blind 87 61 148

Totals 507 444 951  
Won 1, lost 1.

Deaf

Breakey 1st 2nd Tot.  
Leeper 67 132 199  
Corrington 106 130 236  
Blind 75 68 143  
Handicap 92 75 167

Totals 439 499 934  
Won 1, lost 1.

Weyand Shoe Co.

Peters 1st 2nd Tot.  
Fairfield 147 134 281  
Tooley 113 148 261  
Johnson 109 88 197  
Arnett 98 108 206  
Handicap 99 100 199

Totals 567 600 1164  
Won 2, lost 0.

Dodge Beauty Winners

Baker 1st 2nd Tot.  
Slater 126 146 272  
Hildebrand 119 105 224  
Fromme 59 92 151  
Crawford 98 85 184

Totals 494 502 996  
Won 0, lost 2.

Union Leaders

Coffman 1st 2nd Tot.  
Drake 146 110 256  
Peters 127 99 226  
Fortado 105 115 220  
Wynn 110 141 251  
Handicap 119 136 255

Totals 631 625 1256  
Won 0, lost 2.

Standard Monument Co.

Munbower 1st 2nd Tot.  
Bergquist 131 144 275  
Roll 136 153 289  
Nichols 138 137 275  
Blind 120 188 308

Totals 688 774 1462  
Won 2, lost 0.

## CATHOLIC TEAM IN 15 TO 14 VICTORY OVER SOUTH SIDERS

Our Saviour's grade school took a hard fought game from the South Jacksonville school yesterday evening by a score of 15 to 14. The South Jacksonville second team won its game 9 to 4. Greg Gallens was referee.

The main game score:  
Our Saviour's FG FT PF TP  
Tobin, f. 0 0 0 0  
Seaver, f. 0 0 0 0  
Yording, f. 0 0 0 0  
Flynn, c. 1 1 3 3  
Devlin, c. 4 2 10 10  
Kaufman, g. 1 0 2 2

Totals 6 3 15  
South Jacksonville FG FT PF TP  
L. Johnson, f. 0 0 0 0  
Moore, f. 0 0 0 0  
Reed, f. 0 0 0 0  
Frye, f. 0 0 0 0  
Allen, c. 0 2 2 2  
M. Johnson, g. 1 3 5 5  
Reeve, g. 0 1 1 1

Totals 4 6 14

## MORTON HULL ESTATE

Chicago, Dec. 20.—(AP)—An inventory filed today in probate court indicated the estate of Morton Denison Hull, former Illinois congressman and state auditor, would exceed \$500,000. Hull died August 20 at his summer home in Bennington, Vt. He was 70. A son, Denison B. Hull, a Chicago architect, is the principal heir.

Miss Rena Beards of Arenville was a Christmas shopper here yesterday.

Legion Meeting Tonight.

## Walker Changes Line-Up

Coach Walker said yesterday he probably would alter his line-up slightly for the game. He plans to use either Wayne Smith or Bill Hoffmann at one forward position, and Crane at the other, with "Skinny" Baptist at center, and Abell and Bill Gallens at guards.

Jerseyville has shown considerable ability in previous games this year, several of which Coach Walker has seen. The Jays are big and fast, and can hit the hoop. They are a good ball handling team too, the coach said.

Jacksonville high has an important date Wednesday night with Routt high on the David Prince boards, opening the intra-city program which will bring all three local prep teams, against each other before the season is over. Right now the Crimson coach is investigating a report that Gallens, a former Routt player, will not be eligible for competition in the game.

## Basketball Faster Under Latest Rule

### Abolishing Center Jump Is Adding to Excitement

Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 20.—(AP)—Elimination of the center jump has made basketball a faster and more exciting game to watch and has "saved" the sport, Clement M. Eyer, a member of the national rules committee, said today.

Eyer, dean of men at Milligan College in east Tennessee, advised critics not to start "howling" about the change until it has been given a thorough tryout. He said it did not tend to make the sport rougher.

"Of course, I'll admit that there will be rough games. But the good ball handlers and the capable coaches aren't going to throw the ball from one end of the floor to the other, and competent officials will see to it that the defensive team doesn't commit too many flagrant violations under the basket after a goal.

"I have talked to coaches and followers of basketball from New Jersey to Georgia, and while I encountered some dissenters, the contention of the great majority is that by abolishing the center jump the rules committee saved the sport.

"At first, doubtless many teams will be taught the fast break. But sooner or later they will discover that this type of offense isn't consistent and then they will drop back to the old and smooth style."

"I'll admit there are a flock of unnecessary amendments read into the records each year and that the game would profit if there were no drastic changes made in the next three or four years," he added.

## Cummings Accuses Federal Judge of Arbitrary Conduct

### Claims Wisconsin Jurist Is Guilty of Many Unjust, Unfair Actions

Washington, Dec. 20.—(AP)—The house judiciary committee received from the justice department today a complaint accusing Federal Judge Ferdinand A. Geiger of Wisconsin of repeated instances of "arbitrary, unjust and unfair conduct."

Attorney General Cummings made the complaint in a letter to Chairman Sumners (D., Tex.) of the committee, which originates impeachment proceedings against judges.

He called particular attention to Geiger's dismissal Friday of a Milwaukee grand jury which had voted, but not formally returned, indictment of three motor car manufacturers under anti-trust laws.

The government had presented to the grand jury evidence which its attorneys said showed the Ford, Chrysler and General Motors companies were compelling dealers to do their sales-financing through companies affiliated with the manufacturers.

Geiger, in releasing the jury, criticized what he called the "impropriety" of the justice department in discussing with counsel for the motor companies a consent decree as an alternative to the jury's return of the indictments.

(The proposed consent decree amounted to a pledge by the companies to discontinue the practices against which the government complained.)

"It is my idea that the department of justice did not have the power to negotiate with these parties for a consent decree," Geiger said at the time.

## WIN SCHOLARSHIPS

Urbana, Ill., Dec. 20.—(AP)—A coed and the two men students were announced today as winners of the \$100 Gregory scholarships at the University of Illinois for 1937-38. They included David H. Blackwell, (918 Marion St.) Centerville, Ill.

One of the scholarships' requirements was that winners must abstain from alcohol and tobacco.

## Cagers Wind Up Pre-Christmas Schedule During This Week

### Championship Races Begin To Take Form as Teams Reach Holidays

#### Illinois Valley Standings

Northwest Division  
Pittsfield 1 0 1,000  
Pleasant Hill 1 0 1,000  
Griggsville 1 1 500  
Winchester 0 2 000  
Bluffs 0 0 000

Southeast Division  
Jerseyville 2 0 1,000  
Roodhouse 1 1 500  
Greenfield 0 2 000  
Carrollton 0 0 000  
White Hall 0 0 000

Games This Week  
Tuesday—Jerseyville at J. H. S.; Carrollton at Roodhouse; Pleasant Hill at Pearl; Chapin at Bluffs.

Wednesday—Carrollton at Jerseyville; Hillview at Carrollton; Palmyra at Greenfield; Pittsfield at Louisiana, Mo.

Thursday—Pleasant Hill at Barry; Bluffs at Winchester; Perry at Griggsville.

Championship aspirations of teams in the two divisions of the Illinois Valley conference began to take shape last week as the conference got underway, and there will be a little firing in the hoop this week. Two games, one of them bringing together Roodhouse and Carrollton tonight, will launch the season for the Hawks, and the other, featuring Bluffs at Winchester, will launch the Panthers on their Valley conference schedule.

There will be firing every night until Thursday, too, but then the cagers will let up for the Christmas holidays. That is, all of the teams except those enrolled in the Milton tournament where some unusually outstanding teams this season will tangle beginning next Monday.

Pittsfield and Pleasant Hill stood tied in the northwest division of the conference at present, and will hold their rating until after the holidays. Jerseyville has launched itself on the trail of an elusive championship, taking two victories with a team that has shown an amazing balance of scoring power.

Other games this week include: Tuesday—Milton at Nebo; Ashland at Murrayville; Chanderville at Kilbourne.

Wednesday—Waverly at New Berlin.

Thursday—Virginia at Waverly; Franklin at Modesto.

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## Fill In With Couple Danville Boys And Manager, But Locals Have Little Trouble With Them

"You can't take three men out of the line-up and replace them with boys and get anywhere" was Athletic Director LaRue Van Meter's only comment last night after his Blueboys had galloped over a crippled Hawaiian all-star team 53 to 42 on the Illinois School for the Deaf court.

His remark, passed after the game, indicated how the showing of this year's Illinois College varsity struck him. He was bemoaning the loss of Lester, Watts and Scheffer, and Greenfield at the same time wondering why there aren't some boys around the Illinois College campus who can play smart basketball.

The Hawaiians were unable to put their usual line-up on the court because of an accident in which three of the boys from the land of Aloha were dragged down the track about a quarter of a mile after the car in which they were riding was hit by a train last Friday, and two others jumped out before the machine was finally dropped along the right of way. One of the boys was said to have had an ear cut off, another one had four stitches taken in his arm, and another had a stiff arm and couldn't shoot with two hands, and two others were in the hospital recovering from their injuries.

Al Miller, former Millikin athlete and manager of the team, donned a uniform, and pressed "Rusty" Owen, former Danville high football and basketball star and his brother Jack into service for the game here. They were good basketball players too but they couldn't cope with the Blueboys.

The two best basketball players on the court were the Blueboy co-captains, Cecil and Vergil Fletcher. Cecil was the best ball handler, and without much question the smartest basketball player of the lot. Vergil probably was the best basket tosser, and he proved it by pitching in 21 points, somewhere near his scoring record.

There were only two of the regular line-up of Hawaiians who performed, Moriguchi and Forbes, and Moriguchi is the only one of the troop outside the manager who appeared here last year. Forbes is new to the team, and he added considerable scoring punch to the visitors, plunking in 11 points with some fifty one handed shooting from the corners and far in front of the hoop.

The box score:

Hawaiians (42) FG FT PF TP  
Moriguchi, f. 4 1 4 8  
Miller, f. 2 3 4 7  
J. Owens, c. 4 3 4 11  
Forbes, c. 4 3 4 11  
R. Owens, g. 2 0 1 4

Totals 16 10 17 49

Blueboys (53) FG FT PF TP  
C. Fletcher, f. 4 5 3 13  
Moxon, f. c. 2 0 3 4  
Adolphson, f. 0 0 1 0  
Scott, c. 1 3 4 5  
Dally, g. 1 1 0 3  
Bellatti, g. 2 0 1 4  
Taylor, g. 1 1 2 3  
V. Fletcher, g. 9 3 1 21  
Lukeman, g. 0 0 1 0

Totals 20 13 16 53

Score at half: Illinois 36; Hawaiian 23.

Officials: Roelling and Tiescher, Springfield.

## Basketball Scores

Purdue, 55; Loyola (Chicago), 41.  
Michigan, 42; Dartmouth, 17.  
Temple, 51; Illinois, 38.  
Nebraska 28; Minnesota 33.  
Akron Goodyear 40; Illinois Wesleyan 14.

Gem City Business College (Quincy, Ill.) 34; Culver-Stockton 33.

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Joliet, Ill., Dec. 20.—(AP)—Michael Munjas, 45, of Indiana Harbor, Ind., who State's Attorney James E. Burke said confessed firing the shot which killed Farmer Edward Pansa 10 days ago, was found hanged in his cell in the Will county jail today.

Jailer Mike McDonald said Munjas, one of two men charged with murder, and held to the January grand jury, ripped a mattress cover into shreds, tied a piece to a hinge on the cell door and jumped off the upper berth. He was the only occupant of the cell.

McDonald said Munjas hanged himself between 4 and 5 a. m. Munjas and John Jelliga, 33, of Whiting, Ind., were arrested shortly after the fatal shooting of Pansa, 45, and the critical wounding of his wife, Hulda, 38, during a robbery the night of December 9. Mrs. Pansa, from her bed in a Chicago Heights, Ill., hospital, identified the two as her assailants. Police later announced they found in the prisoners' homes the guns used in the robbery and said the men confessed.

## M. E. LEADS AT "U"

Urbana, Ill., Dec. 20.—(AP)—The Methodist church with 2,564 members, outranked all other denominations in a survey of religious preference of the 12,496 students at the University of Illinois. Members of that faith composed 20 per cent of the student body.

Presbyterians numbering 1,549 were second, and Catholics ranked third with 1,440. Fifteen per cent of the students said they had no preference.

## FLIES AT AGE 93

Rockford, Dec. 20.—(AP)—Snow interrupted the 93rd birthday celebration of W. H. Cheesborough, Beloit, Wis., G.A.R. commander. He started on his first airplane flight but a snow storm forced the plane down at the Rockford airport. The landing was made over Cheesborough's protest.

## HOLD UP TAVERN

Chicago, Dec. 20.—(AP)—Forty customers of a Calumet Park tavern were held up by seven masked gunmen who fled with more than \$600.

There was a little cause to be more optimistic about the outlook for the Blueboys too, because their offense began to take on some signs of organization. They went into their triple pivot post formation several times during the first half, and handled the ball through some intricate maneuvers to register points, although there were several miscues when the same plan was tried. During the second half, the Blueboys worked more to perfect their passing in a wide open game than to develop the classy triple pivot which Van Meter doped out last winter.

Close for First Few Minutes  
The scoring was close through the first five minutes, but during the next five, the Blueboys went out in front 21-10. At the half they led 36 to 23. Working differently in the second half, Illinois tallied only eight points, six of them on free throws, during the first ten minutes, and then fished easily in front as both teams relaxed and had a good time.

In view of the lack of Hawaiian reserves, scorers were instructed not to notify the major officials when any of the Hawaiians had four fouls. The visitors didn't take advantage of the situation by fouling viciously, although four of them did have the allotted number of fouls called on them.

The Blueboys will go to Williams-ville Wednesday night for a game with St. Louis university.

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STOCKS : BONDS  
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PRODUCE : GRAIN

## Latest Financial and Market News

BY THE  
ASSOCIATED  
PRESSWheat Overcomes  
Liverpool Slump

Chicago, Dec. 20.—(P)—Responsive to huge curtailment of the United States visible supply, Chicago wheat values practically overcame today ill effects of overlooked for tumbles of Liverpool quotations.

The Liverpool wheat market, although due unchanged to 1 cent higher, closed today 11 to 2 cents net lower, and temporarily pulled Chicago prices down more than a cent from an early high point. Pressure of hedging sales by Australian shippers was the chief reason given for the Liverpool price drops.

On the other hand, today's decrease of the United States wheat visible supply totaled 5,297,000 bushels, violently in contrast with 900,000 bushels weekly average decrease at this time. There has now been a decrease of 35,628,000 bushels in twelve weeks, as against 15,561,000 bushels decrease during the like period last year.

The close, Chicago wheat futures were 1 off to 1 up compared with Saturday's finish. Dec. 93-1, May 91-1, July 85, corn 1-1 1/2 down, May 59-1, July 59-1, oats 1 1/2 down to 1 gain, rye unchanged to 1 higher, and provisions showing 10 to 15 cents bulge.

Chemical properties in the blood of males and females are different.

## Chicago Stocks

Bendix Aviation	121
Berghoff Brewery	61
Butler Brothers	71
Chicago Corporation	2
Commonwealth Edison	261
CORP Corporation	13
Electric Household	3
Great Lakes Dredging	13
Prima Company	13
Sunstrand Machine Tool	10
Swift and Co.	10
Swift Int.	24
Williams Oil & Matic	2

Fractional Gains  
General on Curb

New York, Dec. 20.—(P)—Fractional gains were predominant today in the curb market, with a few higher-priced issues rallying to close 2 points or more higher.

Aluminum Co. was 21 up at 81 and Newmont Mining closed 31 higher at 611. Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea was up 1 at 481 and Pan American Airways closed up 1 at 182. Down fractionally were American Cyanamid "B" at 221, Pittsburgh Plate Glass 88 and Sherwin Williams 221.

Among the utilities, American Gas & Electric at 281, Electric Bond & Share 104, Niagara Hudson Power 81 and United Light & Power "A" 31 were fractionally higher. Down a share were American Light & Traction 141 and Northern State Power "A" 111.

Volume was the heaviest since November 23 at 268,000 shares against 228,000 Friday.

Baboons carry their young on their backs, jockey-fashion.

Rail Issues Lead  
Advance in Bonds

New York, Dec. 20.—(P)—Railroad issues were in the advance today in a general improvement in the bond market.

Up fractionally to a point or more were Baltimore & Ohio Convertible 41s at 361, Chesapeake & Ohio 41s at 1191, Erie 5s at 491, M-K-T 5s at 471, Southern 4s at 54. The Associated Press average of 20 rails was 5 higher at 72.7.

U. S. government obligations were mixed, ranging from losses of 4/32s to gains of 5/32s or more.

Japanese issues were lower, the 51s down 11 at 651 and the 61s down 1 at 781. The average of 10 foreign, however, advanced 2 to 6 1/2 under the influence of a demand for Polish governments, which came from buyers in Poland. The gains in this group ranged from 21 to 31.

Utilities were in some demand. Fractionally higher were American & Foreign Power 5s at 591, American Waterworks 6s at 931, and American Telephone 31s at 1001.

Industrials were mixed.

Volume was \$8,612,000 face value, against \$7,240,200 Friday.

Chicago Livestock

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On Lower Receipts

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Hogs gained 10 to 15 cents but then lost the advantage. Some cattle and lambs were 25 cents higher.

Receipts in the swine department totaled only 20,000, or 13,000 less than expected. The cattle and sheep runs were 5,000 less than expected.

This cut in volume forced the price advance, the market getting no stimulus whatever from conditions in the wholesale and retail meat trade. Consumer holiday buying and poultry competition were factors contributing to a sluggish dressed meat trade, with quotations on some pork items at the lowest wholesale levels in three years.

The hog top was \$8.10. The best price paid for steers was \$13.25. Shippers bid strong to 25 cents higher for good and choice beef material and packers offered steady prices for medium to good animals.

The lamb top was \$9.25, with the bulk selling strong to 15 cents higher. Sheep were weak to lower.

E. St. Louis Livestock

East St. Louis, Ill., Dec. 20.—(P)—U. S. Dept. Agr.—Hogs 10,000; 2100 direct; compared with Friday's average 150 lbs. down 15-25c lower; others steady to 10c lower; bulk good and choice 120-220 lbs. \$7.85-8.00; top \$8.00; 220-250 lbs. \$7.50-7.90; good sows \$6.25-6.50.

Cattle—4500; calves 3000; market slow on steers, indications around steady with close last week; vealers 50c lower; top \$10.75; other classes opening steady; heifers and mixed yearlings largely \$6.00-7.50; beef cows \$4.75-6.00; top sausage bulls \$6.50.

Sheep—3500; a few lots choice native lambs to small killers about steady at 9.00-9.25; packers talking lower.

POULTRY RECEIPTS, PRICES

Chicago, Dec. 20.—(P)—Poultry—1 car, 22 trucks, steady hens 41 lbs., up 20c; less than 41 lbs., 17c; Leghorn hens, 15c; springs, 4 lbs., up colored, 20c; Plymouth and White Rock, 23c; less than 4 lbs. colored, 21c; Plymouth and White Rock, 23c; broilers, 15c; leghorn chickens, 16c; roosters, 15c; leghorn, 14c; turkeys, 24c; toms, young, 22c; old, 18c; No. 2 turkeys, 17c; young ducks, 45 lbs., up colored 18c; white 20c; small colored, 16c; white, 17c; capons, 7 lbs., up 26c; less than 7 lbs., 25c; geese 17c.

Dressed market—Firm; turkeys, hens, young, 28c; old, 24c; toms, young, 16 lbs., up 25c; less than 16c 27c; old, 22c; No. 2 turkeys, 21c.

POTATO RECEIPTS, PRICES

Chicago, Dec. 20.—(P)—U. S. Dept. Agr.—Potatoes, 132 on track 245, total U. S. shipments Saturday 621, Sunday 57; steady, supplies moderate, demand fair; sacked per cwt. Idaho russet Burbanks U. S. No. 1, \$1.37-1.45; U. S. No. 2, \$1.13-1.30; Wisconsin round whites U. S. No. 1, \$1.05; U. S. commercial 95-1.00.

PARENTS OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cody are the parents of a son, Frederick Giles, born Monday morning at Passavant hospital. Mrs. Cody, before her marriage, was Miss Marjorie Mayhew, of Kewanee. She is a graduate of MacMurray college. Mr. Cody is affiliated with his father in Cody and Son Memorial home.

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## Farm and Rural Interest

Mound and South Jacksonville Watershed Areas Subject at Soil Erosion Meeting; Conditions Related by Scientists and Farmers; F. A. Fisher Seals

Twenty interested owners and operators of land in the Mound and South Jacksonville watershed areas met December 18 with representatives of the Soil Conservation Service and discussed plans for controlling the erosion which is rapidly removing the most valuable top soil in these areas.

The meeting was sponsored by the Morgan County Soil Conservation Association, the Morgan County Farm Bureau, and the United States Department of Agriculture Soil Conservation Service attached to the local CCC camp.

The meeting was opened by William K. Ransell, president of the Morgan County Soil Conservation association, who urged everyone in the watershed to take advantage of the services offered by the personnel of the local Soil Conservation Service in controlling their erosion problems.

M. L. Schuetz, camp superintendent, explained that by the entire watershed areas cooperating, erosion can be most effectively controlled. Erosion knows no bounds, he stated, and the gullies on the farm below yours may soon advance to your farm and the water from your farm is a contributing factor to the gullies below. Only through neighborly cooperation can the erosion problems such as are present in these areas be solved most effectively.

Gullies Have Cut Land T. J. Shambaugh Jr., junior conservationist, pointed out that only in forty or fifty years of cultivation the Mound Area has changed from an area of smooth even slopes to an area cut up by numerous gullies, many of them too large to be crossed by farm machinery. Other noticeable evidences of erosion were pointed out such as the difference in elevation between fence lines which have never been disturbed and a comparable area on the same slope which had been farmed. Two four foot vertical sections of soil taken from this area showed the large amount of valuable topsoil that had been removed through improper farming methods.

Crop yields on the slopes have been reduced, the plants are shorter and the color is usually lighter than in the bottomland. Some of the landowners stated that erosion had been removed and now the subsoil is depositing on the rich bottomland and reducing the crop yields there also.

W. H. Brown Jr., junior agronomist, explained that the entire conservation program was based on proper land use. This proper land use on any farm can only be arrived at by careful study of the slopes, soil types, cropping history, the livestock and grain requirements, and the owner and operator of the farm.

Methods of Control Mr. Brown explained how vegeta-

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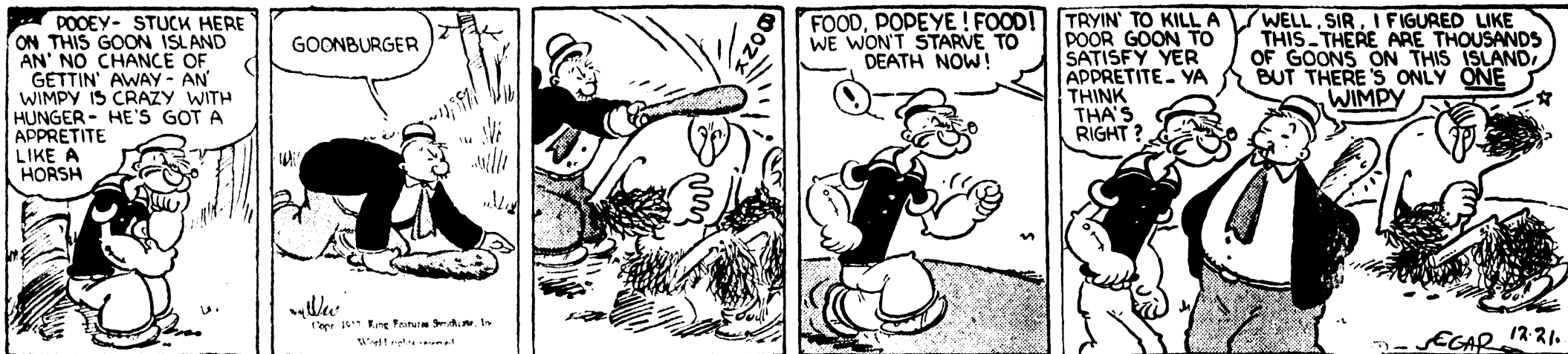
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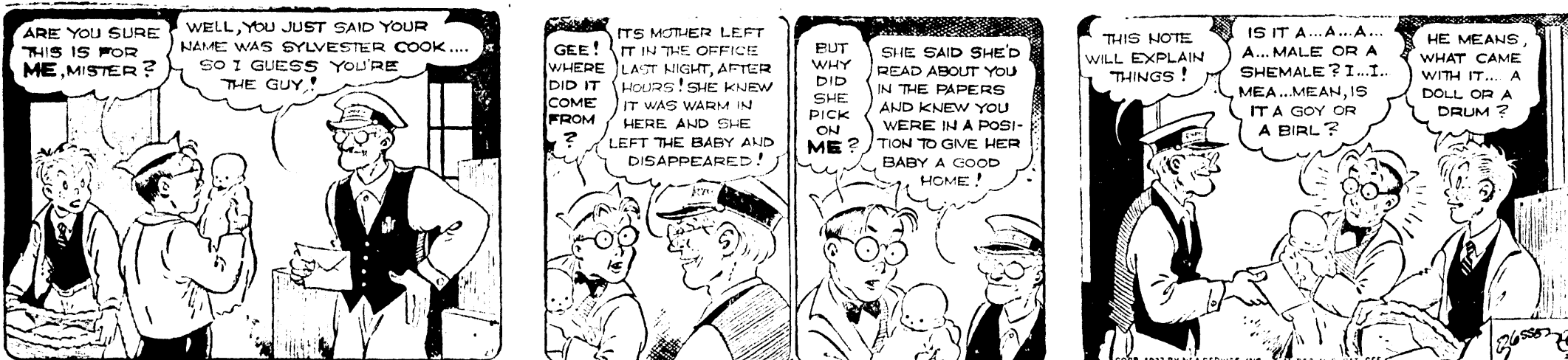
**By E. C. SEGAR**



## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

## Slightly Confused

**By BLOSSER**



**MYRA NORTH—Special Nurse**

## Willie Is the Brains

By THOMPSON AND COLL



## BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

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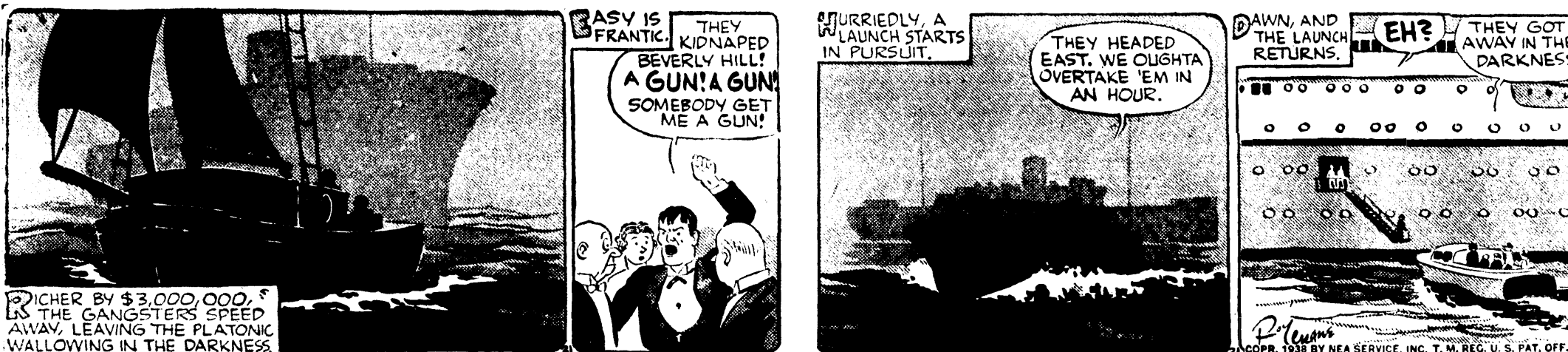
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## WASH TUBBS

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**By CRANE**

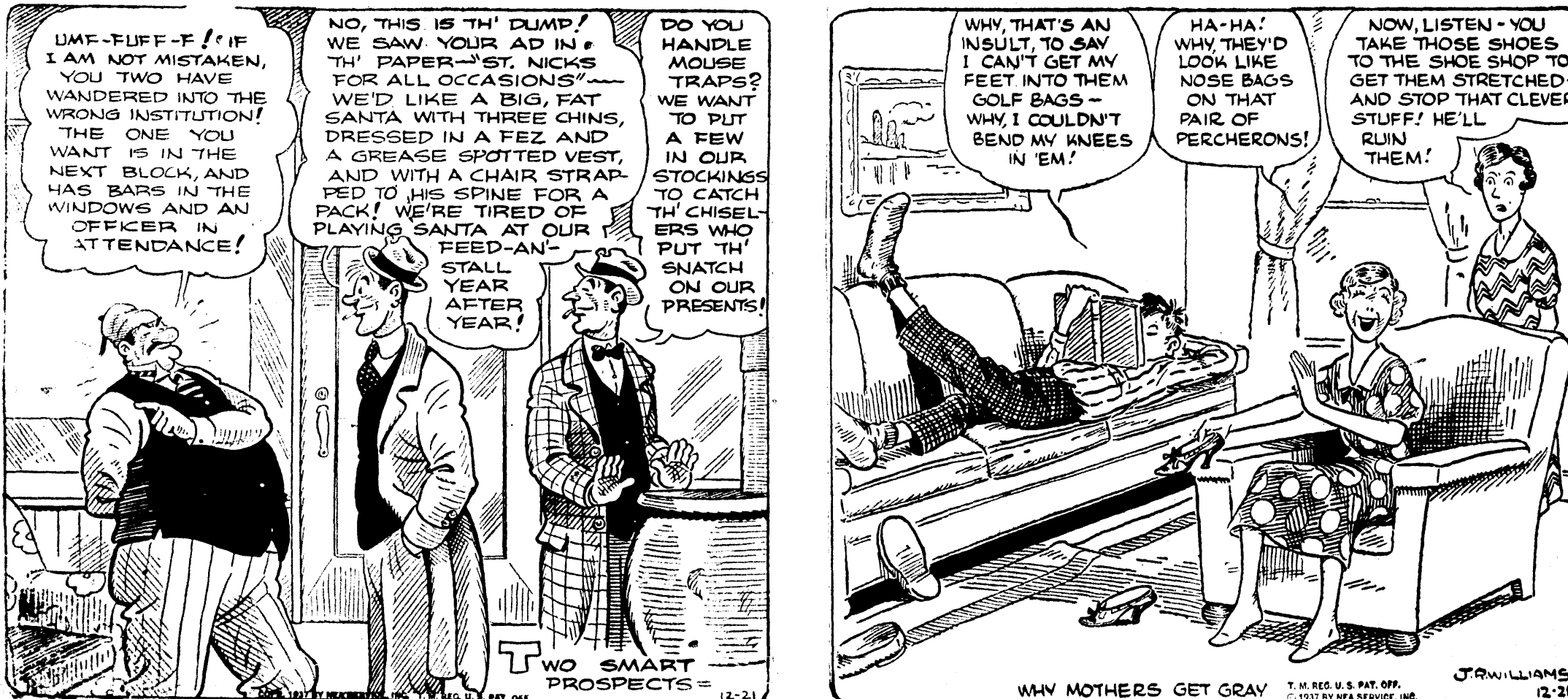


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## OUT OUR WAY

By WILLIAMS



## SIDE GLANCES By George Carl



"Poor John! He's out now, hunting for a fireplace and a yule log."

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD



NOT only is the ash a relative of the Mediterranean olive, now raised extensively in California, but it is a cousin to lilacs, privets, and forsythias. Ashes are found in the tropics, as well as in the temperate regions.

**NEXT:** Why were peony roots worn about the necks of children in olden times?

## Writer of Fairy Lore

**HORIZONTAL**

- 1 6 Famous writer of fairy tales.
- 11 To habituate.
- 12 Stream of lava falls.
- 13 Cavity.
- 14 Hooks.
- 15 Pedal digger.
- 16 Wood sorrel.
- 18 Part of ancient temple
- 20 Small shoots.
- 23 New year's feast.
- 24 Foolish talk.
- 29 Mesh of lace.
- 30 Form of "be".
- 31 Preparation for the Eucharist.
- 33 South America.
- 34 Also.
- 35 Era.
- 36 Middle.
- 38 He was ——— by birth.
- 41 He was a ——— by training.
- 43 Father.

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

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G DOMESTIC LATHES CAPE TOMAN OPERA ARIA INURE ANTA DECLARED WARSAW	

**VERTICAL**

- 1 Pursues.
- 15 To abound.
- 17 Eras.
- 18 Loud ring.
- 19 At large.
- 21 Presiding bishop.
- 22 To commend.
- 23 Behold.
- 26 Dined.
- 27 You.
- 28 Female fowl.
- 31 Pomeranian.
- 32 English title.
- 33 Star card.
- 37 Clock face.
- 38 Series of epical events.
- 40 Almond.
- 41 Olla.
- 42 Fired a gun.
- 45 Knife.
- 46 Valiant man.
- 48 Auto.
- 49 Tree.
- 51 Dum.
- 52 Cracker.
- 53 Expose.
- 56 Musical notes.
- 58 3,1416.





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FOR RENT—Four room unfurnished apartment. Adults. 601 East State. 12-16-37

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### FOR RENT—APARTMENTS

FOR RENT—Warm furnished apartment, 413 W. College Ave. 12-9-37

### FOR RENT—ROOMS

FOR RENT—Two furnished bedrooms, single or double, garage included, one block of State Hospital. 1216 Park Place. 12-21-37

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FOR RENT—STORE ROOM  
FOR RENT—By Dec. 1, store at 219 So. Sandy, formerly occupied by Coveny. Bonansinga. 11-17-37

### FOR SALE—HOUSES

FOR SALE OR TRADE—New modern four room cottages. Miss Kendall. 220 N. East. 12-8-37

### FOR SALE—POULTRY

FOR SALE—Dressed turkeys. Mrs. Jess Butler, Jacksonville. Phone R-3720. 12-21-37

FOR SALE—Dressed turkeys, fine quality, 35c pound. Delivered. Mrs. Alvin Costas. Phone R-0950. 12-5-37

FOR SALE—State accredited White Giant cockerels, \$2.50 each. Stella Summers, Winchester, R. 3. 12-21-37

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### FARM RADIOS

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FOR SALE—Good 140 acre farm 5 miles east of Jacksonville, all tillable. Tilman Stout. 950 N. Church. Phone 1484-Y. 11-26-37

### For Sale—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Tut top tables. Will Rogers books at bargain. 843 South Church. Phone 508-W. 12-21-37

FOR SALE—Real Xmas gift; ladies \$200 diamond ring for \$150.00. Address 1336 % Journal-Courier. 12-21-37

FOR SALE—Hammer mill, Delco generator, 11 ton truck, Buck heatrola, hedge posts. Wm. Reed, New Berlin. 12-21-37

FOR SALE—Doors, windows, several hundred feet flooring; sheetrock. Also dimension lumber various lengths. Three steam boilers, good condition. One hot air furnace size 24". Plumbing fixtures. Several hundred feet piping, stools and lavatories. Electric light fixtures. North Church street by Wabash tracks. Call 7:30 a. m. to 5 p. m. Phone 312. 11-30-37

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FOR SALE—Young yellow canary birds. Good singers. Mrs. Lillie Hoagland, Jacksonville R. 3. Phone 1311. 12-19-37

FOR SALE—Pop corn and sweet cider. Amos Coker, 1093 North Main. 12-19-37

FOR SALE—Christmas tree, Egg-O-Day, calf meal, unhusked, sweet clover. Kendall Seed House. 12-19-37

### FOR SALE—USED CARS

FOR SALE—Late 1937 Ford tudor, mileage 4,500. Sell equity or trade for Model A. 1216 Park Place. 12-21-37

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ALL HAIRCUTS 25c. Open evenings until Xmas. Lair Bros. Barber Shop. 206 West State. 12-19-37

### TYPEWRITER SERVICE

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## Dates of Coming Events

FREE LISTING—Under this heading to person or persons, churches, clubs, lodges, societies. After advertising such events in the Journal and Courier or having job work done here, listing will be published in this column two weeks prior to date.

Every Friday Consignment Sale at Woodson, J. L. Henry.  
Every Monday, Consignment Sale. Murrayville, Spencer and Few.  
Arenzville Consignment Sale. Every 1st and 3rd Saturday. Arenzville Sales Co.

Dec. 29—All day trap shoot at Arcadia.  
Dec. 31—Elk's New Year's dance for members and their ladies.

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### EBENEZER CLASS HAS CHRISTMAS MEETING

Ebenezer's Young Peoples' class met at the home of Frances Shibe Friday evening. Roll call, was answered by "What I Want for Christmas."

Devotions were in charge of the class teacher, Fred Ginder. The class sang Christmas carols. Charles Reid with assistance had charge of the social hour.

Those present were Jeanette Braner, Edith Bridgman, Bertie Moss, Eleanor Christopheron, Helen Schuessler, Frances Shibe, Helen Moss, Mae O'Daffer, Maxine Long, Imogene Long, Alvin Christopheron, Howard Houston, Dean Kenahaw, Claire Underwood, Russell Bridgman, Charles Reid, Billy Jones, John Hadden, Charles Houston, John Underwood, Edgar Loyd, Raymond Samples, Clyde Patterson, Lee Samples, John Schuessler, James Bridgman, Ernest Werries, Clyde O'Daffer, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bridgman, Virginia Bridgman, Mrs. Fred Ginder, Rodney Ginder, Mrs. Ruth Samples and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Shime.

At the close of the evening, dainty refreshments were served.

HERE FROM NEW JERSEY  
Miss Betty Lacey of New Brunswick, N. J., is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Lacey. Douglas Lacey, who teaches at Rutgers University in New Brunswick, is expected to arrive on Wednesday.

VISITS PARENTS  
Joe Sullivan of Gary, Ind., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Sullivan, in Murrayville.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE  
Estate of Lucinda Gallaher Kirby, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the last Will and Testament of Lucinda Gallaher Kirby late of the County of Morgan and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Morgan County, at the Court House in Jacksonville on the 7th day of February 1938, at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 20th day of December A. D. 1937.  
HARRY M. CAPPS, Executor.

CARLE ROBINSON, Attorney.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE  
Estate of Albina Grinnell Sanders, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator with the will annexed of the Estate of Albina Grinnell Sanders, deceased, late of the County of Morgan and State of Illinois, hereby gives notice that it will appear before the County Court of Morgan County, at the Court House in Jacksonville on the 7th day of February 1938, at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 20th day of December A. D. 1937.  
ELLIOTT STATE BANK, Administrator.

WILL WITH THE ANNEXED.  
BELLATTI, SAMUEL & ARNOLD, Attorneys.

## Arenzville Club Presents Program

Hold Meeting at School:  
Other News Notes of Interest

Arenzville.—The December meeting of the Arenzville woman's club was held in the high school auditorium for the public Thursday evening. The following program was presented:

Piano duet—Mrs. Harold Wessler and Mrs. Farrell Cooper.  
Song: "Santa Claus is Coming to Town"—Max Wessler, accompanied by Mrs. Harold Wessler.  
Violin Ensemble—Mrs. A. C. Boile, Mrs. K. B. Neumann and Miss Betty Meyer, accompanied by Mrs. Harold Wessler.

Tap dance—Miss Helene Johnson accompanied by Mrs. Norman Schnitter.  
Quartet: "Christmas Tree" and "Kentucky Babe"—Miss Helen Thyen, Miss Pauline Winkelman, Robert Witte and Clifford Hobrock, accompanied by Miss Doris Hull.

Cornet solo: "Silent Night"—Billy Thyen, accompanied by Miss Helen Thyen.  
Play: "Grandma's Christmas Guest."

Cast:  
William Dyson, Matter-of-fact business man—Mrs. Albert Kolberer.  
Mrs. Dyson, a busy woman—Mrs. Harold Wessler.

Grandma Dyson, an old-fashioned lady—Mrs. A. M. Johnson.  
Vera, skeptical daughter—Miss Mary Elizabeth Schnitter.

Harriet, a thrill hunting girl—Mrs. Norman Schnitter.  
Alger Monfort, detective friend of the family—Mrs. Robert Beard.

Horatio, colored houseman—Mrs. Joe Peck.  
Gladiol, colored maid—Mrs. John Zulauf.

The Black Phantom—Mrs. Farrell Cooper.  
The play was directed by Mrs. H. C. Johnson.

Instead of the annual gift exchange the members gave 25 cents to the welfare fund at the close of the program.

News Notes  
The annual Christmas dinner of the Women's Missionary Societies of the St. Peter's Lutheran church was held Thursday noon, Dec. 16 at the home of Mrs. O. H. Niemann. After the dinner the devotional meeting was held with Mrs. John Schnitter as leader. During the day the members packed a box of Christmas presents

for the children at the Nachusa Orphanage at Nachusa, Ill.

Those present were Misses Irene and Dena Musch, Miss Ella Dufelmeier, Miss Shirley Ann Hiernan, Miss Marie Frances McLean, Miss Emma Louise Winkelman, Miss Emma Hammer, Mrs. George Musch, Mrs. R. J. Meyer, Mrs. Herman Lovekamp, Mrs. Earl Hackman, Mrs. Joe Peck and daughters, Mabel Jeane and Sherrill Lou, Mrs. John Schnitter, Mrs. Mary Wedeking, Mrs. A. L. Weeks, Mrs. L. F. Schnake, Mrs. Frank Hiernan and daughter, Clarice, Rev. and Mrs. K. B. Neumann, Mr. and Mrs. William Lovekamp, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Niemann and daughter, Rosemary.

CONDITION IMPROVED  
The condition of Joseph Baptist who has been seriously ill at his home 840 North Main street, was reported improved Monday. Mr. Baptist is employed in the water department of the City of Jacksonville.

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CAST OF CHARACTERS  
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MIRANDA TRENT—Barrymore's grandmother; a "strong woman."

Yesterday, Barrymore takes Linda in his arms. Their romance has begun, but Linda could not know how soon it was to be tested.

CHAPTER IV  
EXCEPT for the light bandage around Captain Trent's left wrist, everything at the breakfast table next morning seemed much as usual. That is until Barry took up the morning paper and opened it.

In a moment he said so sharply that his grandmother looked up startled from her mail. "I warned him—the blithering idiot! Well, he's down."

"Just who is down—and where?" asked Mrs. Trent calmly. "Old Trent. And the devil of it is that no one seems to know just where."

Barry was reading on rapidly. "The pilot of the big plane carrying the supplies lost him in the fog and turned back. . . . Last radio signals from somewhere over Nicaragua early this morning. . . . I told him that if he cracked in that jungle he had as much chance of being picked up after lunch. And no doubt you wouldn't listen to me."

"And when," asked his grandmother dryly, "have you begun listening to good advice?"

But Barry was reading on, his laughing mouth a straight line. "He was serious enough now, Linda thought."

When old Miranda rose from the table, she said, "Those parcels must really get off this morning. Miss Benton. Take George and the car. I shall not need you until after lunch. And no doubt you have some errands of your own to do."

Barry did not follow them from the dining room. He hardly seemed to know that they were going.

Linda did have some errands of her own; and it was an ideal day for Christmas shopping—clear and cold, with a crisp fall of snow that made dazzling arabesques of the over-arching trees along the avenue, and crunched delightfully under foot.

Everywhere people were going about their errands with shining faces. Already some of the doors and windows showed holiday wreaths. In the church next to

## TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY by Bael



"Let's go easy with that fertilizer we got through the Journal-Courier classified section. These cucumbers look so much like watermelons the kids are stealing them."

for the children at the Nachusa Orphanage at Nachusa, Ill.

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## Former Resident Of Arenzville Dies At Beardstown

Elmer VanDoren Passes  
Away Saturday; Funeral  
to Be Tuesday

Arenzville, Dec. 20.—Mrs. Minet Long and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Van Doren were called to Beardstown Saturday on account of the death of Mrs. Long's and Mr. Van Doren's father, Elmer Van Doren, Mr. Van Doren who was a former resident was well known in this community.

Funeral services for Mr. Van Doren will be held from the Cline Funeral Home in Beardstown Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock.

**News Notes**

Members of the Sunday school of the Methodist church will hold a Christmas party in the church basement Wednesday evening, Dec. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Fricke and children, Mr. and Mrs. William Fricke and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Fricke and daughter and Mrs. Amelia Fricke were dinner guests of Julius Fricke and family of Chapin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Grant Jr. and son, James of Monroe were dinner guests of Mrs. Sam Grant Sr. and son, Elmer, Sunday.

Mrs. Delmos Herman was a visitor in Carlinville Friday. She was accompanied home by her brother, Joe Craven and Robert Goesswein, students at Blackburn college, Carlinville and Paul Klokner, student at Michigan State college, East Lansing, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lovekamp spent Friday with relatives in Bluffs.

Miss Mildred Roeger and Mrs. Louis Lovekamp and son, Harry, were visitors in Beardstown Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hupke and Mrs. Henry Hupke and daughter, Edna were visitors in Jacksonville Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Henry of Bushnell and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Huey and niece, Miss Geraldine Henry were Saturday evening visitors in Jacksonville.

Wilbur Schnitzer, member of the faculty of Carthage college, Carthage, Illinois arrived Saturday to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Schnitzer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ommen visited with Mrs. William Wenkelman and Farrell Cooper, who are patients at the Schmitt Memorial hospital and also with Mr. and Mrs. Rose Wallace of Beardstown Sunday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Paul is seriously ill at her home east of town.

## Manchester Church Has New Minister

Rev. George W. Kinsman of  
Wisconsin Arrives; Other  
Manchester News

Manchester, Dec. 20.—Rev. George W. Kinsman of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, who has been appointed pastor of the M. E. church here, filled the pulpit for the first time Sunday morning. During the Sunday School hour, a Christmas program was presented by the children. Those taking part were Doris and Eloise Hayes, Leona and Virginia Rochester, Lillie Mae Hicks, Joyce Crabtree, Naomi Edwards, John and Gene Stone and Sarah Lee McConnell. Following the program, gifts and the Christmas treat were distributed.

**News Notes**

Miss Goldie Nolan, who is a student at McMurray College in Jacksonville, arrived home Saturday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nolan and family.

Miss Mary Prather was a week end guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Jessie Prather of White Hall, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Prather were Sunday evening supper guests in the Prather home at White Hall.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ruby and family were Mr. and Mrs. Simon Whalen of Jacksonville, Mr. and Mrs. John Whalen of Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Wm Ruby and family of Arcadia, Robert and Joe Byron of Winchester.

Miss Alberta Skervin of Elsberry, Missouri arrived Saturday to spend the Christmas season with her grandmother, Mrs. Ollie Brant.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Deen, Ruby and Carl Deen, accompanied by Hattie Deen of Roodhouse spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cardwell and family of Murrayville.

Henry Williams has been in Jacksonville the past few days doing some repairs on his residence there. He stayed at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Ada Harvey.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Simmons were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Simmons of Roodhouse, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gidney and family of Winchester, Miss Lois Simmons of Jacksonville, Mrs. Leah Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Short.

Mr. Maurice Hayes of near Murrayville was a Sunday afternoon caller of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton McConnell and family.

**HERE FOR HOLIDAYS**

Miss Elizabeth Capps, who teaches in Frederick, Md., is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. W. T. Capps.

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Hosiery**

The perfect gift for Christmas. Wash-colored heels. Sheer Chiffon and Service.

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## ELKS PLAN NEW YEAR'S EVE CELEBRATION

Plans have been completed for a gala celebration for all members of the Elks lodge and their ladies on New Year's eve. Dancing, favors and a midnight supper will be features of the evening. Music for dancing will be furnished by Ken Barton, king of the ivories and Louis Norvel, from ten till two o'clock.

## To Hold Special Services in Greene

Announce Program for Car-  
rollton Church; Other  
News of Interest

Carrollton, Ill., Dec. 20.—Rev. Michael J. Enright, pastor of St. John's Catholic church announces the following Christmas services. On Thursday afternoon, December 23rd, confessions will be heard from 10 a. m. to 12 noon and from 2 to 6 p. m., and from 7 to 8 p. m. Masses Christmas morning will be solemn high mass at 5 a. m., Rev. M. J. Enright, celebrant; Rev. John C. Rowe, S. J., deacon; Rev. John Day, S. J., sub-deacon. Special Christmas music including "Silent Night" and "Adeste Fideles" will be rendered by a trained choir. Low mass will follow at 8 a. m., and 9 a. m. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will follow the 9 o'clock mass.

**News Notes**

A Christmas program will be given at Carrollton Methodist church Thursday evening, December 23. Program Hymn, "Joy of the World." Junior class, Invocation, Rev. Milton Wilson, pastor. Hymn, "Silent Night." Junior class. Exercise for small girls. Christmas carol, Miss Pegram's class. Vocal solo, Miss Virginia Hutchens. Recitations by children of the primary class. James Krughoff, Eliza Jane Markkille. Play, "Christmas Carol." Scrooge—Robert Worrell; Nephew—Warren Robinson; Christmas Fairy—Garnet Rowe; Mrs. Cratchit—Mary Kalschnee; Mr. Cratchit—Russell Rowe; Belinda—Joan Kalschnee; Peter—Carlyle Rowe; Fanny—Genevieve Rowe; Dick—Lauren Haines; Tiny Tim—Dennie Hall; Recitation: "A Lively Christmas Toy"—Alvin Davis; Exercise, "Christmas Suggestions"—Dean Robinson, Lillie Markkille, Edna Rowe, Lauren Haines, Dennie Hall, and Richard Orr; Group of songs and tap dance—Mary Ann Gibbs; Play, "Christmas at Punkin Hollow"—Teacher—Garnet Rowe; Aunt Hespsey—Verna Lankford; Puppets—Clarence Upchurch, Mary Kalschnee, Imogene Welch, Warren Robinson, Genevieve Rowe, Carlyle Rowe, Donald Grady, Melvin Grady, Jesse Lankford, Dorothy Orr, Edna Rowe, Joan Kalschnee, and Alvin Davis; Recitation, "Welcome to Santa"—Louise Markkille; Distribution of gifts by Santa Claus; Song, "Good-by Santa"—School; Recitation, "A Closing Piece"—Duane Davis; Song, "Now Our Program's Over"—School.

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Officers were elected by the Lower Illinois Valley Beekeepers Association at a meeting held Saturday night at the Farm Bureau hall in this city. A pot luck supper was served.

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Mrs. Mae Lumsden Chosen  
Oracle; Other News  
of Interest

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Oracle—Mrs. Mae Lumsden.  
Vice Oracle—Mrs. Eva Funk.  
Past Oracle—Mrs. Mabel Smith.  
Chancellor—Mrs. Mabel Coulas.  
Recorder—Miss Hattie Uler.  
Receiver—Mrs. Kathryn Rogers.  
Marshal—Mrs. Susie Pile.  
Manager—Mrs. Iva Dugan.  
Inner Sentinel—Mrs. Alice De Shiria.  
Outer Sentinel—Mrs. Hattie Wilson.  
Physician—Dr. R. R. Jones.  
Musician—Mrs. Mildred Clark.  
Modesty—Miss Alta Lewis.  
Flag Bearer—Mrs. Maud Jackson.  
Unselfishness—Miss Helen Smith.  
Endurance—Mrs. Kathryn Gregory.  
Courage—Mrs. Anna Brickey.  
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Dr. Eleanor Olmstead Miller, professor of psychology on the Illinois College faculty, will appear on the program of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, in Indianapolis, Ind., Wednesday, Dec. 29. She will present a "Scientific Basis For Guidance."

The Indianapolis sessions will bring together a large number of authorities on educational subjects. Ralph Tyler of Ohio University will serve as chairman.

## Merritt School To Give Program

Christmas to Be Observed at  
M. E. Church Wednesday  
Night

A Christmas Program will be given by the Merritt school, at the Merritt M. E. church—Wednesday night, Dec. 22 at 7:45 o'clock. It is as follows:

Musical reading, "I Dreamed of Music"—Donald and Melvin Grady, assisted by Imogene Welch and Mary Kalschnee at the piano and the school singing Jingle Bells. Aunt Dinah's Quilting Party, Little Town of Bethlehem, and Silent Night; Recitation, "Welcome"—Wanda Davis; Recitation, "Imagine That"—Billie Robinson; Recitation, "A Christmas Vow"—Rex Worrell; Play, "Santa's Troubles"—Santa Claus—Warren Robinson; Mrs. Santa Claus—Garnet Rowe; Es-kimo Boy—Dean Robinson; Doll—Edna May; Candy Cane—Lillie Markkille; Top—Duane Davis; Sleigh—Alvin Davis; Drum—Rex Worrell; Bell—Richard Orr; Recitation, "Christmas Happiness"—Wanda Robinson; Recitation, "What They Want"—Darlene Grady; Recitation, "Dear Santa"—Melvin Grady; Duet (Vocal) "Ladies and Gentlemen"—Louise and Lillie Markkille accompanied by Eliza Jane Markkille; Play, "Christmas Carol"—Scrooge—Robert Worrell; Nephew—Warren Robinson; Christmas Fairy—Garnet Rowe; Mrs. Cratchit—Mary Kalschnee; Mr. Cratchit—Russell Rowe; Belinda—Joan Kalschnee; Peter—Carlyle Rowe; Fanny—Genevieve Rowe; Dick—Lauren Haines; Tiny Tim—Dennie Hall; Recitation: "A Lively Christmas Toy"—Alvin Davis; Exercise, "Christmas Suggestions"—Dean Robinson, Lillie Markkille, Edna Rowe, Lauren Haines, Dennie Hall, and Richard Orr; Group of songs and tap dance—Mary Ann Gibbs; Play, "Christmas at Punkin Hollow"—Teacher—Garnet Rowe; Aunt Hespsey—Verna Lankford; Puppets—Clarence Upchurch, Mary Kalschnee, Imogene Welch, Warren Robinson, Genevieve Rowe, Carlyle Rowe, Donald Grady, Melvin Grady, Jesse Lankford, Dorothy Orr, Edna Rowe, Joan Kalschnee, and Alvin Davis; Recitation, "Welcome to Santa"—Louise Markkille; Distribution of gifts by Santa Claus; Song, "Good-by Santa"—School; Recitation, "A Closing Piece"—Duane Davis; Song, "Now Our Program's Over"—School.

**80 Children Attend  
Party at Alexander**

Rev. Father Eagar Host at  
Christmas Event Given  
at Church Hall

Alexander, Dec. 20.—Rev. Father Robert Eagar of the Church of the Visitation sponsored a Christmas party for the children of the community Sunday afternoon at the church hall. Eighty children attended and enjoyed the party. Bunco was played during the afternoon, Dorothy Ann Zeller and Elmer Hohman winning the prizes. The hall was attractively decorated and there was a large Christmas tree. At the close of the afternoon the children were served candy, popcorn, oranges and apples. In addition to this treat, each child received a gift.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Ryan and daughter Leona left this morning for Pomona, Calif., where they will spend the remainder of the winter with relatives.

Teachers of the grade schools are preparing a Christmas program to be given Friday afternoon.

Misses Theresa and Leona Hermes of Jacksonville spent the week end with their parents.

Carl Kaiser of Jacksonville is here for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Kaiser, daughter Mary Louise and son F. J., Jr., of Springfield visited relatives here today.

**Local Girl Married  
In Iowa Ceremony**

Miss Ruth Osborne is Bride  
of Glenn Walbert of  
Cass County

Miss Ruth Osborne, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Osborne of Jacksonville and Glenn Walbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Walbert of Iowa, Dec. 15th, at the Methodist parsonage by Rev. Arthur Young. A single ring ceremony was performed at 5 o'clock.

They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. John Nance of Rock Island, the aunt and uncle of the bridegroom.

The bride was attired in brown and gold with brown accessories. She attended school in Jacksonville and was employed in Jacksonville until her marriage.

The groom attended Virginia schools and is employed on a farm near Virginia where they plan to reside.

**Burglars Steal  
From Goin Home**

Thieves Enter Mound Resi-  
dence, Take Wearing Ap-  
parel, Foodstuffs

The home of Ralph Goin, 1329 Mound avenue, was burglarized early Sunday night and a number of articles of clothing and some groceries were stolen. Police received a report that the home was entered sometime between seven and nine o'clock in the evening. Entrance into the home was gained thru a garage that adjoins the dwelling.

Mr. Goin reported to police the thieves took a pair of men's slippers, a girl's dress and pajamas, women's pajamas, a boy's suit and some bacon, butter and canned goods.

**CALL TO BEDSIDE**

Ethel M. Howland of Hillsdale, Ill., has been called here by the serious illness of her father, Earl C. Lewis, 899 Henry street.

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## Social Events

**Celebrate Silver  
Wedding Anniversary.**

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Snyder celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary Sunday at their home, 881 Goltz avenue. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Weder; Martha Jean, Mildred Delores, Robert, Thomas and Elizabeth Snyder; Clinton and Grace Moore.

**Dean Williams Hostess  
At Elliott Home**

Dean Clara B. Williams of Illinois College entertained for a group of young people who are home for the holidays, Sunday afternoon at Elliott House. Mrs. James Weir Elliott and Mrs. R. H. Lacey poured at the coffee table. Misses Jean Campbell and Amy Schroeder assisted.

**Shower Given For  
Mrs. Frank Casey**

Mrs. Glenn Green and Mrs. Walter H. Meyer entertained at the former's home, 910 North Church street, at a miscellaneous shower and Christmas party for their sister, Mrs. Frank Casey, who was recently married. Mrs. Casey, who was Miss Eunice Johnson, was presented with a number of fine gifts.

The presentation of the gifts was made by Santa Claus. The home was attractively decorated in Christmas colors. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Guests included Mrs. Frank Casey, Mrs. J. W. Johnson, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Effie Steele, Bernice Gebhart, Junita Gebhart, Mrs. Mildred Barber, Mrs. Margaret Goforth, Mary Barber, Mrs. Edna Johnson, Mrs. Margaret Patrick, Mrs. Lucille Ore, Virginia Sparks, Mary Ellen and Margery Casey, Frances Knole and Betty Hunter.

**Malanzas Club Members  
Meet With Mrs. Buckhorne**

The Matanzas club held its December meeting on Friday at the home of Mrs. T. H. Buckhorne, 284 Sandusky street. Each member of the club was present and a baked chicken dinner was enjoyed at noon.

The home was decorated in keeping with the season: Christmas greens and poinsettia being used throughout, with a large tree in the living room. A gift exchange was a feature of the meeting and a few unusual contests were played.

After a brief business session, Mrs. J. I. Graham told a beautiful Christmas story and Mrs. Buckhorne read an original poem. Carols were sung by the group, which closed a delightful afternoon.

**Glasgow Personal**

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Killebrew and children during the day Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. William Hammon and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Benton and children, Mrs. Ethel Killebrew and sons, Howard and Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Killebrew and son, Randy, Mrs. Paul Garrison, daughter, Geraldine and Mrs. Lora Ryder and children.

Rev. and Mrs. Garfield Rodgers of Manchester were entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Lewis here Sunday, while the former was fulfilling his appointment at the Baptist Church.

**Past Noble Grand  
Club Has Meeting**

Annual Christmas Party Is  
Held; Other News Notes  
of Interest

Chaplin, Dec. 20.—Mrs. Georgie Blair and Mrs. Marie Blair were hostesses to the Past Noble Grand club Thursday afternoon at the home of the former for their annual Christmas party. Miss Janice Woodward was a guest. "Christmas Greeting" was the roll call.

The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Rose Clark; vice-president, Mrs. Ruth Calloway; secretary, Mrs. Marie Blair; treasurer, Miss Adella Hamilton; marshal, Mrs. Edna Myers; chaplain, Mrs. Katherine McAllister. A Christmas story, "Flossie's Saving Fund," was read by Miss Adella Hamilton. A lighted tree, gift exchange and refreshments were enjoyed during the social hour.

**News Notes**

Mrs. H. Postlewait entertained the Friday "Five Hundred Club" Dec. 17th. Guests were Mrs. Clyde McAllister of Meredosia, Mrs. Lloyd Anderson, Mrs. Carl Lapple and Mrs. Richard Hinds. Prizes were awarded to the ones making high score at each table. A Christmas tree and other decorations were used in keeping with the season. A gift exchange was held and refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Smith, Mrs. Caroline Niemann and Luther Lovekamp motored to Beardstown today on business.

**GUEST OF COUSIN**

Mrs. Frederick Jacobs of St. Louis was a luncheon guest yesterday of her cousin, Mrs. Lillian I. Danekin, 814 West College avenue. Mrs. Jacobs will be remembered as Miss Lullie Dayton. She was accompanied here by her son-in-law, Al Shumate, of St. Louis.

**MURRAYVILLE LOSER**

White Hall, Dec. 20.—White Hall grade school basketball team defeated Murrayville grades here tonight in a close game 20-14.

**NEWS NOTES**

Mrs. Victor Deane of Hillview stopped in the city yesterday.

**GENTLEMEN**

We have the GIFTS for LADIES—Hosiery, Linen, Housecoats.

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## Eight Inch Ice Cut For Baptismal Rites at Glasgow

Religious Ceremony Held  
Sunday; Other News  
Notes of Interest

Glasgow, Dec. 22.—Ice, running from six to eight inches in thickness, had to be cut before baptismal services could be conducted for five converts in Little Sandy creek, about a mile west of Glasgow, Sunday afternoon.

The ordinance of baptism was administered by Rev. Garfield Rodgers, pastor of the Baptist church, to five of the nine converts, who were converted at the recent revival meetings.

A place, measuring about five feet by ten feet had to be chopped out of the ice with an axe before the service could be conducted.

The services were witnessed by quite a few from here and neighboring communities.

**Has Scarlet Fever**

Louella, five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Smith is confined to her home here with scarlet fever. The home has been quarantined. Dr. R. R. Jones of Winchester is the attending physician.

**Rural School Programs**

Neighboring rural schools will observe Christmas by trees and programs Friday afternoon of this week. The pupils of Zion's Neck school, west of town, will present a brief Christmas program at the schoolhouse on Friday afternoon, beginning at 2:15 o'clock.

At the Fairview school, north of here, the teacher, Mrs. Wilbur Young and her pupils, are preparing a brief program and tree at the school for Friday afternoon.